THE WEATHER.

Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday with probably local showers, light to moderate variable winds.

Library of Congress

THE MORNING STAR

WILMINGTON

FOUNDED A.D. 1867

The MORNING STAR:

Now paid for and read by more people than ever before in its 43 years' history. Advertisers should note this fact in planning their Fall advertising campaign.

VOL. LXXXVI—NO. 142. WILMINGTON, N. C., FRIDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 2, 1910. WHOLE NUMBER 13,389.

MOORE IS AGAIN CHOSEN PRESIDENT

Important Session of Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association.

GOES TO RICHMOND NEXT YEAR

Project of Linking Florida and Maine by Chain of Waterways Discussed. Senator Broward Speaker. Details.

Providence, R. I., Sept. 1.—Congressman J. Hampton Moore, of Philadelphia, was re-elected president for his third term, and Addison M. Burde, also of Philadelphia, was re-elected secretary-treasurer at the most important session of the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association's third annual convention in this city today. Richmond, Va., was named as the convention city for October 1911. Addresses of commendation and encouragement were made by many city, State and National government officials.

That the project of linking Florida and Maine with a chain of inland waterways is not only desirable, but one which must be begun at once, was the opinion expressed by all the speakers, who included two governors, two government officials from Washington, several Congressmen and others. Governor J. Franklin Fort, of New Jersey, and United States Senator-elect N. G. Broward former Governor of Florida, and who is practically responsible for the re-claiming of the Everglades, agreed that something definite must be done at once in the work of providing more adequate transportation facilities by the opening up of inland waterways. Governor Frank B. Weeks, of Connecticut, and Speaker Roswell W. Burchard, of the Rhode Island House of Representatives, told how their States were interested in the movement an dthe progress made. Two government officials, Chief Willie L. Moore, of the Weather Bureau, and Chief O. P. Austin, of the Bureau of Statistics, Department of Commerce and Labor, gave some scientific information and addresses were also delivered by Congressman William P. Sheffield, of Newport; Mayor John F. Fitzgerald, of Boston; Edward W. Douglas, president of the Troy, N. Y., Chamber of Commerce; Theodore Kolischer, United States delegate to the International Refrigeration Congress at Vienna; former Senator Anthony D. Higgins, of Delaware, and several others.

The necessity for immediate action towards securing the goal of their ambition was urged by Senator-elect Broward, who told of the canal digging being done by Florida. He pointed out that when that State will have finished the work now in progress, including a canal of 120 miles across the State, it will have paid for as many miles of dry digging as the United States will have to pay to dig from Maine to the Rio Grande.

BASEBALL COMMISSION ACTS.

Drafted 115 Minor League Players—Stops the All-Star Series.

Cincinnati, O., Sept. 1.—One hundred and fifteen minor league players were drafted by the sixteen clubs of the two major leagues when the National Baseball Commission met here today. Of these the National League secured 67 while the American League got only 48.

All doubts that the world's series would take place was banished shortly afterward when the commission notified President Thomas Lynch, of the National League, to arrange his schedule in such a way as to make the world's series possible as early as possible.

The following are some of the players drafted and secured by major league clubs:

National League: By Boston from Baltimore, Goode; from Birmingham, Elliott; from Roanoke, Spratt; by Cincinnati, from Mobile, Berger; from Greenville, S. C., Noogan; by New York, from Jacksonville, Pope; from New Orleans, Manush; by Pittsburg, from Jackson, Miss., Bates; from Jacksonville, S. Smith; by Brooklyn, from Montgomery, Miller; from Nashville, Perdue; from Fort Smith, Burke; from Fayetteville, Mayer; by Chicago, from Atlanta, Griffin; from Paris, Ky., Kaiser; from Lexington, Viox; by Philadelphia, from Enid, Crutcher; from Sapulpa, Davis; from Houston, Mowrey; from Anderson, S C., Wohrell.

American League: By St. Louis, from Louisville, Myers; from Hattiesburg, Eaton; by New York, from Parkersburg, Kauff; from Parkersburg, Grainer; by Chicago, from Memphis, McGraw; by Boston, from Columbus, Ga., McLeod; by Philadelphia, from Roanoke, Schmidt; by Cleveland, from Dallas, Dale; from Anderson, S. C., Smith; by Washington, from Danville, Va., Bushey; from Endmondton, Dill (subject to investigation); from Fayetteville, Bunting; by Detroit, from Regina, Skeels (subject to investigation).

Huntington, W. Va., Sept. 1.—The special grand jury which convened to consider riot disturbances, adjourned today Only three indictments were found for inciting riot and these are against the three alleged leaders of the mob.

ROOSEVELT SPENT DAY IN MISSOURI

Made Speech on Honesty in Public and Private Life at Kansas City.

AN ENTHUSIASTIC WELCOME

Spoke to School Children and Told Them Thrilling African Stories. Not an Insurgent, But a Progressive, He Says.

Kansas City, Ma., Sept. 1.—The people of Missouri kept up with a vim today the roar of enthusiastic welcome which is following Theodore Roosevelt everywhere in the West. Crowds which blocked the streets of Kansas City cheered him whenever he made an appearance and the three speeches he made here were received with shouts of approval.

The colonel was told that he was "Insurgent through and through" in a song which was sung in his honor at luncheon today, but he said it would be better to call him a progressive.

It was raining hard when Col. Roosevelt reached this city. In spite of the rain thousands of people were on hand at the station to see him. After a parade through the business section of the city and the luncheon the colonel went to the Westport High School and talked to the pupils. He wound up by making a speech to a throng that filled the auditorium. His speech was about honesty in public and private life.

The crowds which came out to see the colonel jammed the sidewalks and at points blocked traffic.

He was cheered continually and was kept on his feet bowing and waving his hand.

The auditorium of the High School was crowded with students when the colonel arrived and they stood on their feet and gave him the Chautauqua salute, while at the same time they shouted at the top of their voices.

As soon as they would let him speak the colonel said he had a confession to make; that he was a little afraid of the audience because half of it was composed of girls whom he never knew how to handle.

"I have four boys of my own," said he, "and only two girls. The girls were both in charge of their mother until they grew up and then they took charge of me. They have treated me kindly but firmly."

Col. Roosevelt said he was going to tell them some stories of Africa.

"The natives are perfectly wild savages," he said, "and their enemies accuse them of occasionally and playfully of lapsing into cannibalism. That is a delicate subject and I never inquired into it.

"One day while I was riding up the railroad to Nairobi, telegraph communication was interrupted," he went on. "That was because a herd of giraffes had cantered across the tracks and pulled down the wires with their necks."

Then Col. Roosevelt told some more stories of his experiences in Africa. He talked about the lions.

"When they were building the railroad," he continued, "construction was stopped for two weeks bcause two lions established themselves on the tracks and ate up all the men who came to work. I think they ate about one hundred. Finally they were killed."

He said the survivor of another encounter with the lions told him a story which he would repeat.

"At one railroad station," he began, "the lions ate up the agent and when the next train came along it ate up a brakeman. The division superintendent, an Englishman, took a German and an Italian with him and went out there to kill the lion.

"They sat up in the night waiting for the lion and finally the Italian went to sleep in one end of the car, with the German in the other. The Englishman sat at the window with his rifle on guard. He evidently went

(Continued on Page Eight.)

OUTLINES.

Former President Roosevelt was the guest of the Commercial Club at Kansas City, Mo., yesterday and delivered an address on honesty——The population of Greater New York, given out yesterday according to the latest census is over four millions and a half. New York is the second largest city in the world——The statement of the United States Treasury for the month shows an increase in the public debt of over three millions of dollars——Hoke Smith was nominated for Governor of Georgia and endorsed for the Presidency of the United States at the Democratic State Convention yesterday——A former Governor of a province in the Philippines is leading a rebel movement against the government and a battle is expected——Rev. J. A. Paisley, pastor of a Mooresville, N. C., church created a sensation by a confession in which a scandal is involved——New York markets: Money on call steady, ruling rate 1 3-4, closing bid 1 7-8, offered at 1 7-8; spot cotton closed quiet 200 points higher, middling uplands 15.50, middling gulf 15.75; flour steady; wheat spot steady, No. 2 red 1.06 1-2 elevator and 1.07 3-4 f. o. b.; corn spot steady, No. 2, 67 1-2 elevator domestic basis; oats spot firm, new standard white 38 1-2; rosin and turpentine steady.

STILL HALE AND HEARTY.

Reports earlier in the week were that "Uncle" Henry Cassaway Davis, as he was affectionately known while Democratic Vice Presidential candidate in 1904, was seriously ill at his home near Elkins, W. Va. The aged millionaire fell down a flight of steps some time ago and is reported as having suffered some in consequence, but later reports are that he is as hale and hearty as of yore.

AN INCREASE IN PUBLIC DEBT

Drop of Approximately Three Millions In General Fund of United States Treasury—Explain Cause for Increase—Conditions.

Washington, Sept. 1.—With an increase of $3,273,325 in the public debt and a total deficit of $17,371,468.08, the United States treasury closed the second month of the fiscal year keeping on an even keel, all circumstances considered, with a working balance of $30,826,057.23 on hand and the general fund down to $89,523,207.59.

The increase in public debt, which is a complete turn over of four millions in round numbers from the month of July, is due largely to an excess of National bank deposits over redemptions. The general rule of excess of expenditures over receipts during July and August is also a contributor.

Those who have observed closely the fluctuations of the working balance during the last month expect to find satisfaction in that it is a shade better than at the close of July, even if there has been a drop of approximately three millions in the general fund. The deficit, too, of seventeen millions is a round ten millions under what it was a year ago at this time, and a progressive condition is apparent in the comparison of receipts and disbursements with those of this date in the last fiscal year.

Total receipts in the month of August were $54,969,253.64, rougly five millions more than for the same month last year. This brings the receipts of this year over the $113,000,000 mark and five millions better than those of the preceding year.

Disbursements on the whole, and in the face of a natural condition which bears up on a good showing, still give evidence of the economy policy which has become one of the first considerations of the administration. With a drain of about $2,500,000 a month for the Panama canal, the ordinary disbursements for August totaled $58,538,787.74 running a shade ahead of the same month last year, ten millions under the last mondth and making $126,950,496.90 for the present year, some four millions better than the record for the same time a year ago. The Panama canal expenditures for this year are brought up to $6,978,365.80.

For the month alone, the government was a round $4,000,000 behind on the ordinary receipts. Customs receipts jumped up a million and about $83,000 came in from the corporation tax. Internal revenue netted a million less than last month. The government goes into the third month of the year with a grand total of $1,746,676,814.83 cash in the treasury.

National bank notes outstanding amount to $717,321,051, an increase during the month of about $5,000,000 and an increase of about $19,000,000 over a year ago. The deposits of bonds and money which have been made to secure the increases are about even. Twelve new banks with a capital of $3,105,000 were authorized to begin business during the month and there are now in existence 7,184 National banks with combined capital of more than a billion dollars.

Washington, Sept. 1.—James P. Stanley, a seaman in the navy, fell overboard the battleship Iowa, at Annapolis, Md., today, struck his head on a coal barge and was drowned. He was the son of Dr. J. S. Stanley, of Brooksville, Mass.

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENTS

Educational Forces of State In Session at Chapel Hill—Committee of Fifteen to Outline Policy—Addresses.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Chapel Hill, N. C., Sept. 1.—At the morning session of the county superintendents, State Superintendent Joyner appointed a committee of fifteen to draft recolutions carrying out the sentiments of the superintendents as expressed in the various meetings. With this in mind the committee prepared resolutions calling upon the Legislature to provide for farm schools in each county carrying out as near as possible the educational platform of the Farmers' Union adopted at a recent Raleigh meeting.

Another matter of importance to every teacher was a resolution in regard to teachers' certificates. The Legislature will be asked to provide that a State Board of Examiners grant all first grade certificates, grading all papers, no teacher being allowed to take the examination until recommended by the county superintendent and the maximum salary for a second grade teacher is to be increased from $25 to $30. There is a provision to be made for first grade primary certificates. The object is to have a uniform standard for scholarship for teachers throughout the entire State.

At the night session the matter of farm life schools was discussed.

One of the interesting speakers at the morning session of the county superintendents was Dr. Kemp P. Battle, who has been connected with the University since 1843. Dr. Venable also addressed the superintendents. Mrs. C. D. McIver talked about the betterment work and Auditor Abbott, of Guilford county, told how thousands of dollars had been saved to the schools of his county by looking well after the fines, forfeitures, etc.

A number of county superintendents stated it was hard to collect forfeited bonds. Instruction from the State Department is for the superintendents to look well into the matter. One Judge from Graham county sent the State superintendent word to mind his business and the judge would look after his. The sentiment seemed to prevail that the superintendents had some law on their side and that the Legislature could be prevailed upon to pass other acts. The remainder of the morning was spent in discussing certificates and the result of the discussion is outlined in the above resolution. The superintendents will adjourn tomorrow.

At the night session of the county superintendents a resolution providing for a State Board of Examiners provoked much discussion and was withdrawn.

The superintendents believe they should have in charge the granting of certificates. They believe in local self government and do not think the State authorities should pass on the matter of certificates.

NEW YORK CITY'S POPULATION

Thirteenth Census Gives 4,766,883 People, Making It Second Largest City in World.—Increase Over a Million.

Washington, Sept. 1.—Greater New York has a population of 4,766,883 under the thirteenth decennial census, according to figures issued tonight by Director of the Census Durand. This makes New York the second largest city in the world and as large as any two foreign cities, excepting London.

Since 1900 the population of the Metropolis has increased by 1,329,681, or 38.7 per cent as compared with 3,437,202 under the last census. The population by borough is as follows: Queens borough, 284,041; Bronx borough, 430,980; Brooklyn borough 1,634,351; Richmond borough, 85,969; Borough of Manhattan 2,331,542.

New York City contains only 164,649 fewer people than the combined fourteen cities of more than 200,000, the population of which already has been announced, namely: Pittsburg, St. Louis, Newark, Milwaukee, Cincinnati, Detroit, Buffalo, Washington, Indianapolis, Jersey City, Providence, St. Paul and Denver. The aggregate population of the cities named is given as 4,931,531.

The City of New York, as constituted prior to the act of consolidation effective January 1st, 1898, had a population in 1890 of 1,515,301 as compared with 3,437,202 in 1900 showing an apparent increase of 1,921,901, or 126.8 per cent for the Greater city.

LYNCHING IN MISSISSIPPI.

Negro Strong to Telegraph Pole for the Usual Crime.

Amory, Miss., Sept. 1.—Nick Thompson, a negro accused of criminally assaulting a 17-year-old white girl at Jackson Crossing near here last Saturday, was taken to the scene of the crime this afternoon by a mob and lynched. Fully 2,000 persons participated in the lynching.

The lynching followed the identification of Thompson by Miss Jennie Jackson, his victim. As soon as the fact that the negro had been identified became known the mob quickly formed and hanged him to a telegraph pole, after which the mob dispersed.

Miss Jackson was attacked Saturday afternoon while returning to her home from a visit to a neighbor.

PRINCESS COMING HOME.

London, Sept. 1.—Dorothy Deacon that was is going to make a short visit to her native country within the next fortnight, accompanied by her husband, Prince Radziwill. Princess Radziwill, as her friends in America will have to call her, has served notice on the prince that she wants to see her "home folks" again, and it appears as though the prince would have to make the journey.

GEORGIANS ENDORSED SMITH

For Presidency After Nominating Him for Governor at Democratic Convention—Tariff Law Was Denounced.

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 1.—Former Governor Hoke Smith "came back" politically today when he was nominated for Governor of Georgia and endorsed for the Presidency of the United States in 1912 by the State Democratic Convention here. He was nominated for Governor with 233 votes against 78 for Joseph M. Brown, the present Governor, the balloting being under the county unit system. The resolution endorsing Mr. Smith for the Presidency was adopted unanimously.

Some disorder attended the presentation of Governor Brown's name as a candidate for the gubernatorial nomination Enough of the speech already had been made, however, to place the Governor's name in nomination.

The platform, which was unanimously adopted, denounced and condemned the Payne-Aldrich tariff law, together with the Republican administration for its "complete breach of faith with the American people." The platform declares the Republican administration revised the tariff upward instead of downward, as promised and increased burdens were imposed.

In part the platform declares:

"So monstrous a fraud has been practiced on the American people that no further demonstration is needed of the fact that the Republican party can never be trusted to give relief from tariff burdens."

The disfranchisement of the ignorant and purchasable vote is endorsed and one plank urges the same protection for foreign and domestic corporations as is accorded the individual. A law prohibiting lobbying and the elimination of the corporations from politics is strongly urged. A complete revision of rates to and from the ports is endorsed and the platform unqualifiedly declares that the State with an extensive ocean front with four excellent ports should receive the benefits of such a situation and declares that the "arbitrary and excessive rates now exacted by the carriers are unjust and deprive the people of Georgia of their natural advantages."

The State Railroad Commission is called upon to effect a revision on a just basis

GIRL MARRIED LUNATIC.

Police Arrested Her Husband Day After Wedding—The Romance.

Washington, Sept. 1.—Her romance shattered by the action of the police in arresting her husband, Edward Frank, and returning him to the government hospital for the insane, 18-year-old Virginia Strouse Frank, will seek to have her marriage annulled.

The marriage occurred early yesterday morning at Rockville, Md., which is Washington's Gretna Green, making a wild drive in an automobile, dinner in a fashionable hotel and theatre party, during which the escaped patient from the insane hospital posed as an army officer and met his expenses with bogus checks. The young bride will represent that the man she married after a brief acquaintance, and who was taken from her at the American League base ball game, was mentally incapacitated to participate in a marriage contract.

Miss Stroude lives in Philadelphia, and was visiting relatives in this city.

You'll Like Blue Ribbon.

Blue Ribbon Vanilla Extract is made from the finest vanilla beans, and aged until the flavor is perfect.

PREACHER CLEARS UP THE MYSTERY

Confession of Mooresville. N. C., Pastor Creates Profound Sensation.

CHILD LEFT AT DOOR HIS OWN

Mysterious Woman Appeared in the Case—Resigned From Church and Presbytery—Wife Declares She Will Stand by Husband.

(By Long Distance Telephone.)

Charlotte, N. C., Sept. 1.—Rev. J. A. Paisley, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church at Mooresville, N. C., created a sensation today when he confessed that a beautiful five weeks old girl baby left on his front porch Monday night by a mysterious woman is his own child.

Dr. Paisley stated further that the plan to leave the baby on his doorstep was arranged by himself and that the mother of the child executed the scheme. Immediately after making his confession to the church leaders Dr. Paisley's resignation from both church and Presbytery was demanded and promptly given.

He refused to divulge the name of the mother, but it is alleged that she is a young woman of refinement of Pamplin City, Va., who had boarded in the minister's home there.

Dr. Paisley is married and his wife is an invalid. They have no children. Though prostrated by her husband's deed she declares she will not desert him and they will together raise the child.

The baby was left on the doorstep of the minister's home Monday at midnight by a woman who went there from Charlotte and after acomplishing her errand bought a ticket to Roanoke, Va. She is described as young and pretty and she was traced from Roanoke, where it is said the baby was born, to Charlotte before going there. A note pinned to the baby's dress signed "mother" gave its name as "Katherine Virginia" and committed the child to the minister's care.

Late last night a brother pastor went to Dr. Paisley and boldly stated that the matter looked rather suspicious, whereupon the minister broke down and confessed the whole affair, the public confession to the church leaders coming this morning. Dr. Paisley came to Mooresville from Pamplin City, Va., three months ago.

The session of the Mooresville church was called together last night at 11 o'clock following, it is said, a confession of Mr. Paisley to Rev. Mr. Wilson, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Mooresville, which partially supports the second charge. Mr. Paisley came to Concord Presbytery from Virginia in May of this year and had become greatly beloved by his congregation and members of other churches. He has been married 13 years and his wife is a sweet and charming woman. Mr. Paisley stood high socially and otherwise in Virginia and the affair has caused a great sensation here.

A gentleman coming in on the Statesville train this morning verifies the report, received by telephone early in the day, to the effect that Rev. Mr. Paisley had made a full confession.

He says that Rev. Mr. Wilson, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Mooresville, went to the home of Mr. Paisley last night and told him that the affair looked bad. He says that thereupon Mr. Paisley broke down and confessed that the child was his A conference of the church leaders was called, and the confession made public.

It is stated that he said in his confession that the mother of the child was the nurse who had been employed in his home during the illness of his wife, while they lived in Virginia.

Mrs. Paisley, it is said, stated that she would stand by her husband, and continue to live with him.

FAMOUS AVIATORS GATHER.

Harvard-Boston Aero Meet Begins Tomorrow—The Features.

Boston, Sept. 1.—Enthusiastic in their praise of the Harvard Aviation Field at Atlantic, and each anxious to try for the big prizes offered in the Harvard-Boston Aero Meet September 3rd-13th, Claude Grahame-White and A. H. Roe, of England, and Wilbur Wright, Walter Brookins and Ralph Johnstone, of America, five of the leading aviators of the world, are tonight in the hands of entertainment committees.

When the contest committee closed the entries at noon 22 aviators and 13 different makes of aeroplanes had been registered. Among the latest to file their applications were Stanley Y. Beach, who will be seen in a Blériot, equipped with a Gyroscope for securing stability, the first of its kind; H. Rietmann, with a Helicopter, also the only one of its kind; H. A. Connors, with a Connors biplane; Augustsu Post with a Curtiss biplane and John W. Wilson, who will be seen in an unique Man-propelled monoplane.

FORMER GOVERNOR LEADING REBELS

Battle Expected in Uprising Against Government in Philippines.

SITUATION GROWS SERIOUS

Full Report of Trouble Received at War Department—Arrest of Gov. Mendac and Trial for Murder Related.

Manila, Sept. 1.—An uprising against the government is reported in the province of Nueva Vizcaya. A constabulary force hurried to the scene and a battle is expected hourly. The rebel movement is headed by Simeon Mandac, former governor of the province of Ilocos Norte, who has long been a fugitive from justice.

Up to this time there has been no clash between the constabulary and rebels. Mandac and his followers withdrew from Solano on the approach of the constabulary and it is presumed have gone into the mountains, whither a series of detachments are preparing to follow.

It is not clear what the size of Mandac's force is or the number of guns he has at his disposal, but it is believed both are small and that the disturbance is local.

Mandac occupied Solano, a town of about 6,000 inhabitants, northwest of the center of Nueva Vizcaya and about five miles north of Bayonbong.

Washington, Sept. 1.—Mail dispatches received at the War Department today brought detailed accounts of the disorder into which Simeon Mandac has fallen, since his election to the governorship of Ilocos Norte province last January. It is taken to explain the motive of Mandac in organizing the present uprising.

He lost his position as governor as a result of a charge of the murder of one, Deogracias Agcanas, at Laoag, the capital of the privonce of Ilocos Norte, on March 17th. Agcanas and seven others had been arrested as accomplices in the killing of a horse in the night time. Upon investigation by a local official, they were released.

Thereupon it is alleged that Gov. Mandac took the law into his own hands, ordered the eight men to appear at the municipal building and proceeded to have a star chamber investigation. It is alleged that he struck and otherwise maltreated the prisoners to force a confession, going so far as to kick Agcanas in the stomach. From the internal injuries Agcanas thus received, it is alleged he died the following day.

Mandac was arrested and tried on a charge of homicide before Judge P. M. Moir, was convicted and sentenced to imprisonment for fourteen years. An appeal was taken to the Supreme Court of the Philippines and Mandac was released on bonds. Suddenly Mandac disappeared and all attempts of the bondsmen, the constabulary and the secret service to discover him failed.

FLOODS ARE RECEDING.

Damage Around Asheville Estimated at $100,000—Negro and Watermelon

(Special Star Telegram.)

Asheville, N. C., Sept. 1.—The flood situation tonight is much improved. The river after reaching flood height of 10.6 feet last night began to fall. By hastily installing a transformer at the Weaver Power Company, some light circuits were restored. Only two lines of street cars were operated today, using current from the Asheville & East Tennessee Railroad. The electric company cannot say definitely when they hope for complete restoration of lights and cars.

All lines of the Southern Railway opened for traffic this morning, by superhuman efforts on the Toxaway line and the Murphy division. About noon today it developed that the waters were still rising near Toxaway and the railroad concelled all outgoing trains today and tomorrow morning on that line.

A negro convict, Walter Brown, aged 18 years, was drowned in Hominy creek yesterday in an effort to get watermelons out of the raging torrents. He waded out and was caught by the current. The body has not been recovered.

Mill dams along Hominy creek were washed away. Reports from the outlying districts swell the damage list to an estimated $100,000.

"BIG CHIEF" ON RAMPAGE.

Smashed Up Things in General In Fayetteville Yesterday.

The Fayetteville Observer of yesterday afternoon says:

"Big Chief Thorpe, the baseball player, took on too much fire-water last night and as a result he ran amuck on Upper Hay street early this morning, smashing windows and playing small havoc in general, and was only stopped in his hilarious career by a blow on the head, from the effects of which he is now a patient in the Highsmith hospital."

Now is the time to use Star Business Locals.

THE WORLD OF SPORTS

RACING — BASEBALL — BOXING

ANOTHER TO THE SAILOR LADS

Score Two to One in Eleven-Inning Affair at League Park Yesterday Afternoon—Newcombe Poor Satisfaction.

Results Yesterday.
Rocky Mount 3, Wilson 2.
Wilmington 2, Fayetteville 1.
Raleigh-Goldsboro, rain.

Where They Play Today.
Goldsboro at Raleigh.
Fayetteville at Wilmington.
Wilson at Rocky Mount.

Another farce like unto that at Goldsboro Wednesday, was pulled off at League Park yesterday afternoon between the Fayetteville Kilties, who comprise a part of the "Fayetetville-Rocky Mount Co.," and the Sailors, the Navigators coming off victorious by a margin of one score put across in the eleventh inning after Fayetteville had tied it up in the ninth. The rank decisions of Umpire Newcombe were accountable for the first score on each side, and with a good man at the indicator job, the game might have run till dark without a tally.

A disagreeable feature of the game was the treatment accorded Newcombe by some Wilmington fans, but at this critical stage of the game, nothing better can be expected as the decisions were undoubtedly bad, though it is doubtful whether Wilmington had any the better of his mis-calls or not. Mullen, playing center for Fayetteville, was put out of the game in the first inning for wrangling over balls and strikes when he was struck out by Rube.

The details follow: Mullen and O'Halloran were struck out, after which Dwyer singled to center and was advanced to second on Luyster's hit to the same place, but Breitstein flew to Kluttz. In Wilmington's half after Hoffman had died on first, Cooper singled over second, but was caught attempting second after Tydeman had skied to left. Both sides were out in order in the next two sessions, and in the fourth Dwyer was safe on an error of Orth, and went to second on Luyster's sacrifice. Breitstein and Schuman died on first. Wilmington was out in order as were the visitors in their part of the fifth, and after Orth was down in the last half, Doak sent a neat single to left, and stole second, but Kite flew to right and Kluttz was out on first.

In the sixth Mayer was safe on an error of Orth, and was sacrificed by O'Halloran, but Dwyer and Luyster died on first. Wilmington was out in the sixth without doing anything interesting and Fayetteville went the same way in the seventh.

In the last half of the lucky seventh, Dear Old Cooper lifted a neat one to center, and was sacrificed by Tydeman, and when he tried to make third on the same play and Dwyer threw wild to Breitstein, Cooper ambled home as cool as you please, all on a single and a sacrifice, and an error, and they do say that that sacrifice of Tydeman's would have gone well over the foul line had it been left to stop before being played. After this Orth flew to left, and Doak was out short to first.

Fayetteville was out in the eighth, and in the last half Kluttz was safe on an error, and stole second after one man was down, but did not get further.

In the ninth O'Halloran fouled to Kluttz and Dwyer popped to Kite, after which Luyster got first on an error of Doak, and went to third when Dubbs let a throw get by him at second. Breitstein singled to center, scoring Yuyster, and went to second on Schuman's hit to right, but Landgraff flew to Dubbs. It was in this inning that the Wilmington fans, or the greater part of them, thought that Newcombe gave the game away when he called Breitstein's hit to first, a foul after Doak had got the ball and covered first ahead of the runner.

Wilmington was quickly retired, and in the tenth Hartley started with a single to left, and was sacrificed to second by Brandt. Mayer hit to short and was safe on fielder's choice, Hartley being out on third, on decision which the Kilties disputed, perhaps rightfully. O'Halloran struck out. In the last half after Orth was out to first unassisted, Doak hit one to left fence which lacked only a few feet clearing the wall, and went to second on it, but Kite flew out to center, and Kluttz fanned. Three Kilties died on first in the eleventh, and in the last half after Dubbs had aired, Rube went to second on the third strike called on him, when he attempted first, and catcher threw wild. Hoffman was given the first pass of the game, and both men were advanced by Cooper's hit to second when he was safe on fielder's choice, the three corners then being full with one man down. Tydeman did the trick with a neat one over third, scoring Rube, and the game was won, Newcombe being given police protection to the cars.

The Tabulated Score.

Fayetteville.	AB	R.	H.	PO	A.	E.
Mullen, cf.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Mayer, rf.	4	0	0	1	0	0
O'Halloran, 2b.	4	0	0	2	2	0
Dwyer, 1b.	5	0	1	10	0	1
Luyster, lf.	4	1	1	4	0	0
Schuman, cf.	4	0	1	3	0	0
Bretenstein, 3b.	5	0	1	2	1	0
Landgraff, ss.	4	0	0	2	1	1
Hartley, c.	4	0	1	6	1	1
Brandt, p.	3	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	38	1	5	31	7	3

Wilmington.	AB	R.	H.	PO	A.	E.
Hoffman, cf.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Cooper, 3b.	5	1	2	1	4	0
Tydeman, lf.	4	0	1	2	0	0
Orth, 2b.	4	0	0	1	4	2
Doak, 1b.	4	0	2	15	0	1
Kite, c.	4	0	0	9	2	0
Kluttz, rf.	4	0	0	2	0	0
Dubbs, ss.	4	0	0	2	6	1
Howard, p.	4	1	0	0	2	0
Totals	37	2	5	33	18	4

Score by Innings.

	R.	H.	E.
Fayetteville ...0000000100—1	5	3	
Wilmington ...0000001001—2	5	4	

Summary: Two-base hits, Doak; left on bases, Fayetteville 7, Wilmington 4; stolen bases Luyster, Doak and Kluttz; sacrifice hits, Luyster, O'Halloran, Brandt and Tydeman; base on balls, Brandt 1; stuck out, Brandt 6, Howard 9; time 2:10; umpire, Newcomb.

PENNANT DREAMS.

Anyway, we won.

And Cooper had to break into print again, getting two of the five hits to the Sailors' credit.

We wonder if Wilson played as hard for that game yesterday as they did when last they were on the Sailor lot. It looks like a combine against the minority, with the Sailor aggregation playing the latter role.

To Tidy Ty's lot fell the duty of bringing in both of the tallies, and he delivered the jammy package in both instances, bringing Cooper in with a sacrifice in the ninth, and scoring Rube with a beautiful single in the final session.

"It is a noticeable fact that the Highlanders were the first club seen at League Park this season, while the Railroaders are in Fayetteville for the last series at home that club plays."—Rocky Mount Record. Which latter fact apparently accounts for the high standing you have in the percentage column today.

"Rube" had the goods yesterday, and 'tis a pity we couldn't have an umpire to have given him justice, for had Henderson or Barre been on the job he would certainly have had several more strike-outs to his credit. As it was, no less than nine of the once mighty Klan fell victims to his mysterious twisters.

It cannot be denied that those decisions of Umpire Newcombe were fierce and then some, but we cannot think that he was guilty of intentionally showing any partiality to either side, and the rough treatment he received, although we believe it would have occurred on any diamond in the league under like circumstances, is to be regretted, as it will not create any good impression when the news goes out to the other towns.

Doak held down first like an old guard, and only one misplay did he make out of a passing possibility for a half dozen or more. Guess he's some sort of a utility man, if any one should interrogate you. And come to think of it, he got two-fifths of the hits of the game too, one of which came so near clearing left field fence that Luyster thought it had really gone over till he saw it lying in the grass. Pardon us for tarrying so long on this subject, but he also annexed an extra base at a critical stage of the game.

Evidence that there was "something rotten in Denmark" or rather at Fayetteville, Wednesday is getting stronger, and that Fayetteville undoubtedly did present the games to the Railroaders with their compliments, is believed by nearly every one here. It seems impossible to get any information as to the time the games started, if at all, and as reports up to within an hour of sunset were that it was still raining, we would like to ask if the games were not played indoors at the armory of the Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry. It has been reported thus, and under the circumstances, we are forced to credit it as true. Also Mr. Luyster in the presence of witnesses it is said, told one of Wilmington's leading citizens, whose name can be given, that it was all made up and that the games were played without an effort to win on the part of the Fayetteville team. If the games were really played after it stopped raining, not even the first game was started two hours before sunset, and we would think this would be sufficient to throw them out, without even trying to dig up the truth about the other and more disgusting reports. Rest assured the matter will not be left to stand, especially if it causes the Sailors to be out of the running for the pennant, and a full investigation will without no doubt be made.

THE RAILROADERS ALSO WON

Score Three to Two Against Wilson Yesterday Afternoon—Sally League Umpire Holds the Indicator—Result.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., Sept. 1.—After Hearne had passed Gastmeyer and he was sacrificed to second he purloined third on "Pap" Westlake. Stein was passed and took second. Dussault then sent a board ripper to left center for two bags for the crew, the first hit of the day, scoring both men.

In the sixth Peartree was given life on balls and was sacrificed to second, third base he stole, and scored when Westlake threw wild over the baseman's head. An error and a hit put two on for Wilson in the seventh and they scored on timely swatting by Armstrong. Both pitchers were immensely effective and there were only seven hits in the game, the odd one being in favor of Hearne. Stolen bases along with Hearne's wildness accounts for the Tobacconists' defeat. Umpire Burt, of the South Atlantic League, saw service today and through many close decisions he never had the semblance of a kick.

The Tabulated Score.

Wilson.	AB	R.	H.	PO	A.	S.
Jacobs, 2b.	4	0	0	2	2	0
Benbow, 2b.	3	0	1	1	2	0
Westlake, c.	3	0	0	5	2	1
Miller, rf.	4	1	1	1	0	0
Sheridan, cf.	4	1	1	2	0	0
Armstrong, lf.	4	0	1	2	0	0
Phelan, 1b.	3	0	0	11	0	0
Sharpe, ss.	2	0	0	3	3	1
Hearne, p.	3	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	31	2	4	27	13	2

Rocky Mount.	AB	R.	H.	PO	A.	E.
Peartree, rf.	3	1	0	1	0	0
Forgue, ss.	3	0	0	3	3	1
Gillespie, 3b.	3	0	1	1	2	0
Gastmeyer, 2b.	2	1	0	0	3	1
Craegan, cf.	2	0	0	3	0	0
Stein, lf.	2	1	0	1	0	0
Sharry, 1b.	3	0	0	9	0	0
Dussault, c.	3	0	2	9	1	0
Boyle, p.	3	0	0	0	2	0
Total	24	3	3	27	11	2

Score by Innings.

	R.	H.	E.
Wilson .... 0000020000—2	4	2	
Rocky Mount .... .02001000x—3	3	2	

Summary: Sacrifice hits, Forgue, Craegan, Westlake; stolen bases, Peartree, Gastmeyer, Gillespie, Stein; bases on balls, 1, Hearne 3; struck out, Boyle 7; Hearne 4; two-base hits, Dussault, Miller, Armstrong; left on bases, Rocky Mount 2, Wilson 3; time 1:35; umpire Burt; attendance 452.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

All games postponed, rain.

Try a Star Business Local.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

EASTERN CAROLINA LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Rocky Mount	38	33	.584
WILMINGTON	36	33	.562
Goldsboro	35	34	.517
Raleigh	35	35	.500
Wilson	34	35	.493
Fayetteville	31	39	.367

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Athletic	82	37	.689
Boston	72	49	.595
New York	69	51	.575
Detroit	67	54	.554
Washington	56	67	.455
Cleveland	51	68	.429
Chicago	46	71	.394
St. Louis	36	82	.305

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	80	37	.684
Pittsburg	69	47	.595
New York	67	48	.583
Cincinnati	61	59	.508
Philadelphia	59	59	.500
St. Louis	48	71	.398
Brooklyn	43	72	.379
Boston	43	78	.356

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Cincinnati, Sept. 1.—Cincinnati succeeded in defeating Pittsburg today by a score of 4 to 1. Beebe pitched excellent ball while Cincinnati managed to bunch hits on Camnitz

	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg ..0000001000—1	6	2	
Cincinnati ...00010300x—4	7	0	

Camnitz, Phillippe and Gibson; Beebe and Clarke.

Time 1:40. Umpire Rigler and Enslie.

Others postponed, rain.

MINOR LEAGUES.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE.

At Roanoke 2; Norfolk 3.
Other games postponed, rain.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

At Montgomery 3; Memphis 1.
Second: Memphis 3; Montgomery 6
At Mobile 0; Atlanta 1.
At Birmingham 7; Nashville 3.
New Orleans-Chattanooga, not scheduled.

CAROLINA ASSOCIATION.

At Charlotte 3; Winston-Salem 2.
Second: Postponed, rain.
At Anderson 1; Spartanburg 2.
Second: Anderson 1; Spartanburg 3.
At Greensboro, 1; Greenville 0.
Second: Greensboro 2; Greenville 1. (Seven innings.)

LEAVING DRILL GROUNDS.

First and Second Divisions of the Atlantic Fleet.

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 1.—The first and second divisions of the Atlantic fleet which has been at maneuver and target practice on the Southern drill grounds off the Virginia capes, came into Hampton Roads late today for general supplies and will probably remain inside until Monday. The ships coming in were the Connecticut, Michigan, Louisiana, Kansas, South Carolina, New Hampshire and Delaware. The third and fourth divisions of the fleet will come in September 6th and remain until the 8th. No shore liberties will be granted except in cases of emergency.

Try a Star Business Local.

ESSEOLA GOLF TOURNAMENT

Will be Held at Linville, Western North Carolina, Next Week—Cape Fear Golf Club to be Represented.

Cape Fear Golf Club of Wilmington will, in all probability, be represented by several enthusiastic golfers at the annual Esseola Inter-state Golf Tournament to be played on the Esseola and Tanglewood links, Linville, the beautiful Summer resort in the western part of the State, September 7th to 10th. Mr. H. deW. Rapalje, secretary of the local club, has received an invitation for the members of the Cape Fear Club to attend, also a programme of the events and other information relative to the tournament.

The tournament will be held under the auspices of the Esseola Golf Club of Linville and all golfers will be invited to attend and take part. The programme as announced is as follows:

Wednesday, September 7th—Club team match, teams of three—Morning: Limited to representative teams from regular golf clubs, 18 holes, medal play. Aggregate score of teams to count. Men's championship, afternoon—Qualifying round. Flights. Eighteen holes, medal play.

Thursday, September 8th—Men's championship; morning: First rounds, 18 holes; afternoon: Semi-final rounds, 18 holes. Women's championship, eighteen holes, medal play, in the afternoon.

Friday, September 9th—Men's championship; final rounds, 36 holes. Men's and women's handicap and sweepstakes will be arranged during the tournament.

Saturday, September 10th—Special Tanglewood cup match; 18 holes, medal play; mixed foursome two balls; 18 holes, medal play.

The golf tournament at Linville is always well attended by members of the Cape Fear Golf Club and this year is not expected to be an exception to the rule; in fact, several players are already planning to attend the tournament next week.

KILLED WIFE WITH RAZOR.

Horrible Crime Caused by Money Dispute—Murderer Caught.

Wilmington Del., Sept. 1.—Following a dispute over money at their home here this afternoon George D. Derry, aged 41 years, killed his wife, aged 39, by cutting her throat with a razor. The eight-year-old daughter of the couple was a witness of the assault.

Directly afterward Derry lighted a cigarette and started out of the house, but when he got to the street the news of the cutting had reached some of the neighbors and Derry fled to avoid violence. He ran into a drug store where he was arrested.

GROCERS FILE ANSWER.

To Sherman Anti-Trust Law Suit of Federal Government.

Birmingham, Ala., Sept. 1.—The answer of the Southern Wholesale Grocers' Association and of its officers and its members in a charge made by the Federal government that it is in violation of the Sherman Anti-Trust laws and that it has been operating as a combine, etc., has been filed in the United States court here. A general denial of the accusation is made.

KITE, C.

WEAR

Walk - Over

the best shoe on earth and vote for

"RUBE" HOWARD

the best pitcher in the league.

PETERSON & RULFS

Next to Murchison Bank.

au-28-tf.

J. M. Solky & Co.

One Price Clothiers and Furnishers.

Only a Few Days More

before we will close our great clearance sale of high grade Clothing for Men, Boys and Children. Don't wait but take advantage of this opportunity that affords every man and child who are in need of a suit.

This saving is a chance of a lifetime, you don't know what a cut in prices are until you see ourr bargains in clothing.

Manhattan Shirts are still selling at reduced prices. Just received a full line of children's School Suits and Sweaters for Fall.

J. M. Solky & Co.

Phone 617. Masonic Temple.

au-28-tf.

GEO. O. GAYLORD'S

Big Store

On Front Street

which is forty-nine feet wide and one hundred and eighty-two feet deep, three stories high with the two additional floors over the Bank Building is now undergoing considerable changes for its improvement. We will move in this building entirely where we are making arrangements to take care of our immense stock of goods. We have built twelve beautiful cabinets for our men's and boys' Departments. We have built our shelves to the ceiling in our Shoe Department and I intend making the one store carry our stock of Men's and Boys' Clothing and Shoes equally as well as the two stores did before. We are receiving large quantities of Men's and Boys' Clothing for winter. Men's underwear and shirts will be on display and we propose to give you better values than we have ever done.

Adler Rochester's Clothing

for which we have the Agency will be on display in a better assortment than ever before. Our Boys' suits will be on display next Wednesday for Fall with an assortment of a thousand suits to select from and our prices are less than you can buy them elsewhere.

In the Dress Goods Department we have been receiving the new Goods right along for the last ten days and have a beautiful assortment of Mohairs for 25c per yard. The new styles Raja silks for 25c., and entirely new fabric, the regular price has been 50c. One yard wide, shepard plaid taffeta silks, the very best dollar quality for 79c per yard.

In the Millinery Department we have received a big assortment of new Fall hats all hand made goods of the very best material, expressly for the early Fall wear, ranging in price from $1.00 to $3.98 each. Chiffon veils at 25c per yard.

Ladies' Coat Suits will be ready for your inspection in a few days. We have the assortment of all prices which we will be glad to show you. We guarantee both the fit and the price to be absolutely right.

We give trading stamps and premiums with all purchases. We have just received a large shipment of trunks and suit cases. We will be glad to have you call and allow us to fill your orders, at

The Big Store on Front St.

GEO. O. GAYLORD, Prop.

Budweiser—"Everywhere"

In every country—in every clime—North, South, East, West—on land or sea. Wherever you go, you'll find Budweiser and always the same in quality taste and flavor—that's why its sales exceed all other bottled beers.

Bottled only at the

Anheuser-Busch Brewery

St. Louis, Mo. U. S. A.

M. T. HESSBERG & SON
Distributors
Richmond, Va.

THE COLUMBUS CONVENTION

Democrats Place Strong Tickets in Field—Old Officers Returned—Much talk of the Congressional Situation—Other Notes.

Whiteville, Sept. 1.—The Democratic Convention of Columbus county met yesterday in the Court House, with one of the largest attendances ever known at a like gathering in this county and adjourned at 6:30 P. M. L. V. Grady, formerly of Wilmington, was elected permanent chairman. The first nomination to be made was for the Legislature. There were five contestants, but Hon. James M. Shipman, who formerly represented the county in the General Assembly, was nominated on the fifth ballot. On the fourth ballot Hon. R. H. Powell, of Whiteville, came within one-fourth of a vote of the nomination, when Col. D. J. Lewis moved to make his nomination unanimous. This seemed to stampede the delegates and safely landed Mr. Shipman.

The next nomination was for Sheriff, and the present incumbent, Mr. A. S. Richardson, was named. He was closely pressed by Mr. J. T. Best.

Mr. L. W. Stanley was nominated Clerk of Court on the first ballot.

For Register of Deeds, the present incumbent, Mr. C. E. Smith, won, being closely pressed by Mr. Dan Hester.

Mr. Daniel R. Gore was named treasurer. He is an old Confederate veteran, and his victory is largely due to the rousing nominating address made by Hon. Donald McRacken, in which he appealed to the delegates to reward this gallant old hero.

With one exception, an entirely new board of County Commissioners were nominated, consisting of Messrs. Q. Powell, E. J. Grimsley, L. C. White, Bennett Pierce and J. N. Cox.

There was great rejoicing among the old candidates and their friends. They all made faithful and efficient officers, and the people decided that they should have an endorsement by re-election for another term.

Whiteville was full of leading citizens and there was a good deal of discussion over the Congressional situation. Hon. O. L. Clark, candidate for Congress, was in town shaking hands with his friends. Mr. Clark stated to the Star reporter that he was entirely satisfied with the situation, and had strong hopes of winning in the primary. He said Clark clubs were being organized in every county in the Sixth district and his friends were at work determined to win. Wednesday night at 8 o'clock a number of citizens from different sections of the county met in the Court House and organized an O. L. Clark campaign club. Mayor W. Ross Davis was elected permanent chairman and Mr. T. S. Memory permanent secretary. Committees were named to organize Clrk clubs in every sownship in the county and work from now until the day of election for his nomination. Reports were made showing that Mr. Clark was gaining in strength all over his district and it was claimed that a strong reaction had set in against Mr. Godwin. Rousing speeches were made by Messrs. H. L. Lyon, D. J. Lewis, G. Herbert Smith and others. Mr. Bayard Clark, campaign manager for Hon. O. L. Clark, stated that he had heard from every county in the district, and if Mr. Clark's friends would only get to work that he would win easily. Mr. Clark predicted that Mr. Godwin would carry his own county by a narrow margin. He said a great many men who had supported Godwin in the first primary had joined the O. L. Clark clubs.

FOR GOOD ROADS.

Columbus People Are Aroused—Meeting on Wednesday.

(Whiteville News-Reporter.)

On Wednesday morning a number of citizens met in the court house to organize a good roads meeting. On motion of Col. J. B. Schulken, Mr. G. Herbert Smith was called to the chair and Mr. K. C. Council requested to act as secretary.

A rousing address was made by Chairman Smith, and Mr. K. C. Council read a paper showing the beneficial results of good roads and how they advanced the value of land and helped the farmer in marketing his crops.

The following delegates were named to attend the Good Roads meeting to be held at Laurinburg next Friday.

On motion of Mayor Davis, the meeting was named the Columbus Good Roads Association, and the temporary organization was made permanent. Delegates were appointed to the meeting at Laurinburg next Friday as follows:

Tatoms—E. B. Wright, A. M. Benton, R. T. Covington, J. G. Thompson.

Chadbourn—J. A. Brown, E. J. Britt, C. D. Koonce, S. M. Withers.

Whiteville—J. B. Schulken, W. R. Davis, I. B. Tucker, E. S. Lewis, T. L. Gantt, Oscar High, W. H. Crowell, W. H. Phillips, W. H. McRacken.

Hallsboro—J. W. Hall, J. E. Thompson, F. B. Pierce, Bruce Pierce, J. A. Wyche.

Waccamaw—F. B. Gault, J. P. Council, A. G. Holmes, K. Clyde Council.

Bolton—J. D. Straus, C. E. Clark, J. W. Brinkley, C. Brown, J. W. Merritt.

Ransom—S. B. King, Wm. Leve, G. H. Smith, E. S. Grimsley.

Resolutions were passed making the supervisors of each township members of the Columbus County Good Roads Association, and to form themselves into township organizations. The township associations are to report to a general meeting of the association to be held in Whiteville on Sept. 5th, at noon.

W. R. Davis, I. B. Tucker, W. H. Crowell and K. Clyde Council were appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws, and report at the general meeting to be held on the 5th.

When Merit Wins.

When the medicine you take cures your disease, tones up your system and makes you feel better, stronger and more vigorous than before. That is what Foley's Kidney Pills do for you, in all cases of backache, headache, nervousness, loss of appetite, sleeplessness and general weakness that is caused by any disorder of the kidneys or bladder. Robt. R. Bellamy.

AFFAIRS AT STATE CAPITAL

One Death Results From Street Car Blaze—Charters Issued—Enlarging Scope of A. & M.—Farmers' Convention.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 1.—Rachael Bryant died this morning and Mary Bryant is severely injured from jumping off a Raleigh street car soon after midnight as it was running high speed. They and six other negro passengers were panic stricken at a blazing controller on the front of the car. As they ran to the rear platform to jump they knocked down and painfully bruised the conductor who was standing in the door with his back to them.

There was only one white couple on the car. They were near the front and kept their seats. The flash of the controller was not at all dangerous, the street car people say, and the motorman stayed by his switch, stopping the car promptly, but too late to save the frightened negroes from injury by their foolish act of jumping from the car.

Members of the Corporation Commission returned today from Fayetteville where they heard testimony and argument yesterday as to the differences between citizens and the railroads as to the plans for a union passenger station there by the Atlantic Coast Line and the Raleigh & Southport railroads. Plans for a station that have been submitted by the Atlantic Coast Line are unsatisfactory to some of the citizens, hence the hearing. The Commission will make an order a little later.

Charters for two new corporations were issued today. The Thomas Store Co., Graham, capital $25,000, by J. M. Thomas and others for mercantile business, and the Walstonburg Commerce Co. of Walstonburg, Greene county, capital $9,000 for mercantile business by N. T. Riddick and others.

A department of veterinary medicine is to be added to the courses of the A. & M. College, this time with indications that 12 or 15 students for this course will enter. Dr. J. B. Cecil has arrived from the University of Pennsylvania to have charge of this course as well as to have charge of the department of Animal Pathology in the college experiment station.

Prof. W. F. Turner is another new professor just arrived to take up duties as a member of the A. & M. faculty when the session opens September 8th. He is to be assistant in animal husbandry and dairying.

The morning session of the State Farmers' Convention today was devoted to various phases of live stock farming. The demonstration of the judging of horses and beef cattle took up two and a half hours from 7:30 to 10 o'clock, Dr. Chrisman, Dr. Roberts and Dr. Koonce demonstrating horse judging and J. A. Conover and R. S. Curtis, beef cattle judging. This was out in the college barn.

J. A. Conover, who is connected with the United States Department of Agriculture, and detailed for special work in this State, discussed "Silos and Silo Building," later in the morning. There was an address on "Live Stock Farming," by Dr. Wheeler, of Biltmore Estate, and a dissertation on "Keeping Tobacco Soils Fertile," by E. H. Matthewson, of the United States Department of Agriculture. Edgar B. Moore, of Mecklenburg county, discussed "Enriching Land by Stock," in a most profitable manner.

The convention closed a very profitable three days' session this afternoon, the last day being taken up with discussion of a number of practical farm topics, election of officers and the adoption of resolutions of much importance. The new officers are: Frank Shields, Halifax county, president; Dr. A. S. Wheeler, of Biltmore Estate, vice president; Prof. I. C. Schaub, secretary. Special features of the resolution include a call on the Legislature to turn over to the State Department of Agriculture the surplus, above administration expense, in the revenue from the oil inspection act, said to be several thousand dollars this year; provide county fire wardens to work under the direction of the State Geological Survey; to urge all counties that have not adopted a no-fence law to do so, especially for the benefit that will come in aiding in the elimination of cattle tick. Another paragraph asks for county agricultural schools through State aid. Then there is a clause that regrets the failure of the country weeklies as a class to give attention due them to young farmers in their sections who put forth special effort in farm work and appeals for reform in this matter.

THE HIGHWAY.

(By Edgar Child.)

On the Highway! Oh the Highway!
From the upland to the sea,
Is a message full of promise
For our people, you and me;
Through the heart of treasured forests
Over hill tops through the lee,
From our rugged mountain sky-line
To the roaring briny sea.

Oh the Highway! Oh the Highway!
To traverse our native State,
From her snow-capped western summits
Where the eagles like to soar;
Touching crests and spanning valleys
To the fertile sandy shore,
Is now the slogan of the hour
That is knocking at your door.

When we speed along this Highway,
Past the chestnut, oak and pine,
We will catch the sweet aroma
From the fragrant clinging vine;
And our hearts will beat with gladness
With a thought that is sublime,
That no greedy hand has torn them
From the unscarred trunks they climb.

We will pause in rock gorges
Where the skies are azure blue,
Just beneath the crest of mountains
Purpled by the evening hue;
And our vision will be strengthened
Passing through floodgates of light,
Giving greater power to action
As we battle for the right.

Let every one now build it,
From the land that meets the sky,
To the dancing white-capped billows
Where the ships glide swiftly by;
Linking city after city
To each tinkling, rippling rill,
Giving all a greater freedom
With a melody that thrills.

FUGITIVE WOUNDED FIVE.

Georgia Desperado Shoots Pursuers After Committing Murder.

Cartersville, Ga., Sept. 1.—After killing a man named Phillips at Beasley Gap, near this city and wounding five pursuers, William Fowler, an aged white man of this county escaped to the hills and is now at liberty heavily armed. Fowler is being pursued by a sheriff's posse and threats of lynching are being made.

At the time Fowler killed Phillips he also shot and wounded James Byers and Sam Boston. Early today a posse surrounded Fowler in a house near Beasley Gap and demanded his surrender. Fowler came out, firing as he advanced and Capt. J. W. Pierce, Hardy Goode, and Sam Kilby fell wounded, the latter being dangerously shot. Fowler then escaped to the hills.

In reading store ads most people about some particular article—hence are looking for definite information merchants should quote prices always.

STOMACH LIVER LUNGS

Each of the chief organs of the body is a link in the Chain of Life. A chain is no stronger than its weakest link, the body no stronger than its weakest organ. If there is weakness of stomach, liver or lungs, there is a weak link in the chain of life which may snap at any time. Often this so-called "weakness" is caused by lack of nutrition, the result of weakness or disease of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. Diseases and weaknesses of the stomach and its allied organs are cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. When the weak or diseased stomach is cured, diseases of other organs which *seem* remote from the stomach but which have their origin in a diseased condition of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition, are cured also.

The strong man has a strong stomach. Take the above recommended "Discovery" and you may have a strong stomach and a strong body.

GIVEN AWAY.—Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, new revised Edition, is sent *free* on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing *only*. Send 21 one-cent stamps for the book in paper covers, or 31 stamps for the cloth-bound volume. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

The Real Attraction

Is not the man in the window, but the hundreds of useful articles of Furniture on our floors. Our stock is by far the most complete, the largest, the newest in the city. As usual, our prices are much lower. All are cordially invited to walk through and be convinced.

The Wilmington Furniture Co.
Wilmington, N. C.
Garrell Building. 126-128 Princess St.

GASOLINE

OUR GASOLINE IS MORE VOLATILE THAN ANY GASOLINE ON THE MARKET, CONTAINING THE MAXIMUM PER CENT. OF POWER PER GALLON; MADE FROM ONE GRADE OF CRUDE, INSURING UNIFORMITY IN QUALITY.

12c per Gallon in Galvanized Iron Barrels, F. O. B. Wilmington.

For Perfect Lubrication use THEBEST Auto Oil.

Cape Fear Oil Co.
'PHONE 878.

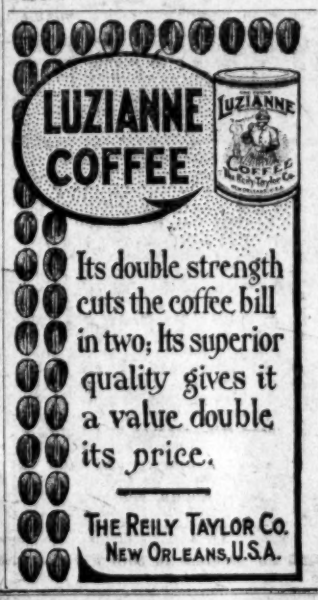
The
Royal Sixty-Five

Why spend $100.00 for a Typewriter?

$65.00 Buy the Royal

Standard quality in every respect,

C. W. YATES & Co.
Office Outfitters.


LUZIANNE
COFFEE
LUZIANNE
Its double strength cuts the coffee bill in two; its superior quality gives it a value double its price.
THE REILY TAYLOR CO.
NEW ORLEANS, U.S.A.

Pale Export BEER

This is to notify our customers that they can secure this popular brand by sending their orders to Petersburg, Va.

4 Doz. Bottles F. O. B. Petersb'g, $3.00,
10 Doz. Bottles F. O. B. Petersb'g, $7.50.

DARLEY PARK BREWING COMPANY
G. MORGAN KNIGHT, Manager. PETERSBURG, VA.

Our Interest Quarter Sept. 1st.

Deposits Made on or Before Friday, September 2nd

will draw interest at four per cent, payable three months hence.

Atlantic Trust and Banking Co.

CHAS. N. EVANS.....President.
MILTON CALDER.....Cashier.
Southern Building. Opposite Postoffice.

au 23 tf

THE
"Atlantic Inn"
Opposite Union Depot,
European Plan.
Most convenient to traveling men. Elegant rooms, good service, personal attention. Our restaurant service satisfies a large number daily. Why not you?
GIESCHEN BROS., Props

PEACE INSTITUTE FOR YOUNG WOMEN

AN ideal Christian Home School. Preparatory and Collegiate courses. Art, Expression, Physical Culture, Pedagogy, Business, etc. Conservatory of Music. High standard maintained by large staff of experienced, college-trained instructors. Takes only 100 boarders and teaches the individual. Unsurpassed health record. Brick buildings. Steam heat. Excellent table. Large gymnasium. Park-like campus. Concerts, lectures, tennis, basketball. Write for our catalog before selecting the college for your daughter.
HENRY JEROME STOCKARD, A. M., Pres., Raleigh, N. C.

Carload The Famous Peach Bottom Slate JUST RECEIVED.

-::- Call or Write for Prices. -::-

W. B. THORPE & CO., Inc.
Phone 789.

au 24 tf

WANTED

To purchase a good Saddle Horse.

Samuel Bear, Sr., & Sons
18 Market Street, Wilmington, N. C.

au-31-tf

ATLANTIC COAST LINE

These time tables are corrected to July 31, 1910, but their correctness nor the arrivals and departures are not guaranteed, the figures being given as the best available information as to schedules of this company and its connections.

48	42-86	48-80	a via Petersburg. *Daily	89-49	83-41	49
*8:40am	*7:00pm	*8:40am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am	7 15pm
11 37am	10 05pm	11 37am	Ar. ..... Goldsboro ..... Lv.	2 50pm	6 40am	3 50pm
12:36pm	11:05pm	12:36pm	Ar. ..... Wilson ..... Lv.	1 52pm	5 40am	1 52pm
1 18pm	11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar. ..... Rocky Mount ..... Lv.	12 58pm	5:05am	12 58pm
.....	2:15pm	4:55pm	Ar. ..... Weldon ..... Lv.	11:30am	3:25am	.....
.....	4:00pm	7:00pm	Ar. ..... Petersburg ..... Lv.	9 13am	1:40am	.....
5:50pm	a8:00am	.....	Ar. ..... Norfolk ..... Lv.	.....	a8:00pm	6:15am
.....	4 40am	8 00pm	Ar. ..... Richmond ..... Lv.	8:15am	1:00am	.....
.....	8 00am	11 50pm	Ar. ..... Washington ..... Lv.	4:20am	9:40pm	.....
.....	9:52am	1:35am	Ar. ..... Baltimore ..... Lv.	2 46am	8 20pm	.....
.....	11:53am	3:40am	Ar. ..... West Philadelphia ..... Lv.	12 19am	6 44pm	.....
.....	2:15pm	6:30am	Ar. ..... NEW YORK ..... Lv.	*9 25pm	*3 25pm	.....

42-86 and 83-41 carries Pullman buffet sleeping car between Wilmington and Washington connecting with New York trains with Pullman service.

48 and 49 carries Pullman Buffet parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman service.

55-89	51-85	*Daily	82-50	80-54	
*3:15pm	*3:35am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	12:55am	1:40pm	.....
7:25pm	9:20am	Ar. ..... Florence ..... Lv.	9:05pm	9:30am	.....
11:20pm	1:35pm	Ar. ..... Charleston ..... Lv.	5:35pm	6:20am	.....
2:40am	6:45pm	Ar. ..... Savannah ..... Lv.	1:50pm	12:15am	.....
11 55am	2 20am	Ar. ..... Albany ..... Lv.	1 25am	1 55pm	.....
9:40am	1:45am	Ar. ..... Thomasville ..... Lv.	2 25am	2 05pm	.....
5 50pm	9 50am	Ar. ..... Montgomery ..... Lv.	6 50pm	6 05am	.....
7:15am	.....	Ar. ..... JACKSONVILLE ..... Lv.	9:15am	7:50pm	.....
2:05pm	.....	Ar. ..... Sanford, Fla. ..... Lv.	2 10am	2 55pm	.....
7:00pm	.....	Ar. ..... TAMPA ..... Lv.	9 00pm	10 30am	.....
8:55pm	.....	Ar. ST. PETERSBURG Lv.	.....	6:45am	.....
10:20pm	.....	Ar. .. FORT MYERS Lv.	*8:00pm	*6:45am	.....

ALL TRAINS CARRY PULLMAN SLEEPING CARS—Sleeper arriving Wilmington on No. 50 at 12:55 A. M. ms be occupied until 7:00 A. M. and sleeper leaving Wilmington on No. 51 at 5:35 A. M. will be open to receive passengers at 10:00 P. M. the previous night.

55	51	*Daily.	82-50	54
*3:15pm	*5:35am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	12:55am	1:40pm
7:25pm	9:20am	..... Florence ..... Lv.	9:05pm	9:30am
9:20pm	11:20am	Ar. ..... Sumter ..... Lv.	5:55pm	7:40am
11:10pm	12:55pm	Ar. ..... COLUMBIA ..... Lv.	4:10pm	6:00am
.....	.....	Ar. ..... AUGUSTA ..... Lv.	2:30pm	.....
11:30pm	1:10pm	Lv. ..... Columbia ..... Sou. Ry. ..... Ar.	2:50pm	5:00am
5:30am	7:40pm	Ar. ..... Saluda ..... " ..... Lv.	8:45am	10:25pm
6:00am	8:15pm	Ar. ..... Hendersonville ..... " ..... Lv.	8:05am	9:50pm
7:00am	9:15pm	Ar. ..... ASHEVILLE ..... " ..... Lv.	*7:00am	8:50pm
9:05pm	.....	Ar. ..... Knoxville ..... " ..... Lv.	.....	6:30am
8:40am	.....	Ar. ..... Louisville ..... Lv.	.....	8:00am
8:00am	.....	Ar. ..... CINCINNATI ..... Lv.	.....	*8:10pm

51—SLEEPING CAR Wilmington to Columbia and Buffet Parlor Car Columbia to Asheville.

55—SLEEPING CARS Wilmington to Columbia, Columbia to Asheville and Asheville to Louisville and Cincinnati.

50—SLEEPING CARS Cincinnati and Louisville to Asheville, Parlor buffet car Asheville to Columbia and sleeping car Columbia to Wilmington.

54—SLEEPING CARS Asheville to Columbia and Columbia to Wilmington.

Sleeping cars arriving Wilmington 12:55 A. m. and Columbia 11:10 P. M. may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.

Sleeping car leaving Wilmington 5:35 A. M. will be open to receive passengers at 10:00 P. M.

57	51-97	55	*Daily. ‡Daily except Sundy.	54	98-50	58
*7:30pm	*5:35am	*3:15pm	Lv ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar	1:40pm	12:55am	8:30am
9:15pm	7:20am	5:09pm	Ar ..... CHADBOURN ..... Lv.	*11:40am	*11:02pm	6:25am
11:10pm	11:50am	.....	Lv ..... CHADBOURN ..... Ar.	.....	5:00pm	6:10am
12:45am	1:30pm	.....	Ar ..... CONWAY ..... Lv.	.....	3:30pm	*4:45am

61	59	53	*Daily. ‡Daily ex. Sun. xSunday only.	60	52
x6:30pm	5:25pm	*8:45am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	10:15am	8:05pm
9:45pm	8:46pm	11:45am	Ar. ..... Fayetteville ..... Lv.	7:05	4:50pm
9:45pm	8:45pm	12:10pm	Lv. ..... Fayetteville ..... Ar.	7:00am	4:45pm
11:10pm	10:10pm	1:40pm	Ar. ..... SANFORD, N. C. ..... Lv.	*5:35am	*3:30pm

68	62	64	‡Daily except Sun. xSun. only	69	63	65
x6:45pm	3:25pm	5:50am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	10:15am	12:50pm	6:50pm
8:34pm	5:22pm	7:42am	Ar. ..... Jacksonville, N. C. ... Lv.	8:28am	10:55am	4:55pm
9:55pm	6:44pm	9:10am	Ar. ..... Nor & Sou. Jct. ..... Lv.	7:05am	9:35am	3:35pm
10:00pm	6:50pm	9:15am	Ar. ..... NEWBERN, N. C. ..... Lv.	x7:00am	9:30am	3:30pm

For folders, Reservations, rates of fares, etc apply to the undersigned.

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager.
T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent.
WILMINGTON, N. C.
PHONE 100.

TO THE BEACH
SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect May 29, 1910.

WEEK DAYS.

Leave Front and Princess Sts. East Bound.	Leave The Beach. West Bound.
6:30 a. m.	6:05 a. m.
and every half hour thereafter until	7:15 a. m. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 p. m.	11:45 p. m.
12:00 p. m.	

Freight

Leave Ninth and Orange streets 6:00 a. m., 10:00 a. m., 4:00 p. m., and 7:00 p. m.

Freight depot open from 5:30 to 6.00 a. m., and from 8:00 a. m. until 7:00 p. m. Freight received at Ninth and Orange streets only.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Front and Princess Sts. East Bound.	Leave The Beach. West Bound.
7:00 a. m.	7:15 a. m.
8:30 a. m.	7:45 a. m.
	9:15 a. m.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 p. m.	11:45 p. m.
12:00 p. m.	

Freight.

Leave Ninth and Orange streets at 11:00 a. m.

Freight depot open from 10:00 to 11:00 a. m.

Steamer Wilmington
SUMMER SCHEDULE.

In Effect From June 1st, 1910.

Leave Wilmington Daily Except Saturday and Sunday for Carolina Beach and Southport at 9 A. M. and for Carolina Beach at 2:30 P. M. Last Boat leaves Beach at 6 P. M.

SATURDAY.

Leave Wilmington at 9 A. M. and 2:30 P. M., for Carolina Beach and Southport.

SUNDAY.

Leave Wilmington for Carolina Beach and Southport at 9:15 A. M. and 2:30 P. M., and for Carolina Beach at 7:30. Last Boat leaves Beach at 8:45 P. M.

FREIGHT.

Will be received for the 9 o'clock Boat Only. No dogs allowed at Carolina Beach. Ma 31-tf.

SEABOARD
Air Line Railway SCHEDULE

Apply at Union Depot Ticket Office Phone 1294 or Office of Commercial Agent, Orton Hotel, Phone 178.

Trains Leave Wilmington Effective May 15, 1910.

NO. 45—3:00 A. M.—For Hamlet and intermediate points to Charlotte, connects at Hamlet with No. 66 for Raleigh and points North.

NO. 39—3:45 P. M.—For Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with through trains for Atlanta, Birmingham, Jacksonville, Norfolk, New York and trains in all directions. Arrive Hamlet 7:45 P. M.; leave Hamlet 8:05 P. M., arriving Charlotte 10:50 P. M.

Trains Arrive at Wilmington

NO. 40—12:20 P. M.—From Charlotte.
NO. 44—12:20 A. M.—From Charlotte and intermediate points.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 38 for all points North at Monroe with No. 52 for Atlanta.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 41 for Atlanta, Birmingham and Memphis. No. 84 for Washington and New York and No. 32 for Portsmouth, Norfolk and No. 43 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

Parlor Car service will be maintained between Wilmington and Charlotte on No. 39 leaving Wilmington at 3:45 P. M., and No. 40 arriving at Wilmington at 12:20 P. M.

B. W. ARRINGTON, Union Ticket Agent, Phone No. 1294.
F. A. FETTER, Commercial Agent, Orton Hotel, Phone No. 178.
H. S. LEARD, Div. Passenger Agent, Raleigh, N. C.
C. B. BRYAN, General Passenger Agent, Portsmouth, Va.

ma 13 tf

Clyde Steamship Company
to NEW YORK and GEORGETOWN, S. C.

NEW YORK TO WILMINGTON.
S. S. "Carib".....Friday, August 26th.
S. S. "Navahoe"....Friday, September 2nd

WILMINGTON TO NEW YORK.
S. S. "Navahoe".....Saturday, August 27th
S. S. "Carib".....Saturday, September 3rd

WILMINGTON TO GEORGETOWN.
S. S. "Navahoe".....Monday, August 22nd
S. S. "Carib".....Monday, August 29th

Both steamers have good passenger accommodations.

Through bills of lading and lowest brough rates guaranteed to and from all oints in North and South Carolina.

For Freight apply to
M. G. SMALLBONES, Supt. Wilmington, N. C.
M. M. MAYNARD, Freight Traffic Manager.
W. H. RAYMOND, V. P. & G. M.

N&W Norfolk & Western Ry.

Quickest and Best Line West and Northwest.

Block System, Rock Ballast 33-lb Rail.

Schedule in Effect May 15, 1910.

Lv. Norfolk	8:15 a m	8:00 p m
Lv. Petersburg	10:50 a m	10:40 p m
Lv. Durham	7:00 a m	5:30 p m
Lv. Lynchburg	2:35 p m	2:30 a m
r. Cincinnati	7:30 a m	6:25 p m
r. Columbus	6:45 a m	7:55 p m
Ar. Chicago	8:00 p m	7:30 a m
Ar. St. Louis	6:33 p m	8:30 a m

Close connections made for Seattle, San Francisco and all Western points.

Pullman sleeping and parlor cars N. and W. Cafe dining cars. Equipment and service standard of excellence. Blue Ridge and Allegheny mountains crossed at most picturesque parts.

Time tables, descriptive literature and information free. Correspondence invited.

W. B. BEVILL, Gen. Pass. Agent, Roanoke, Va.
C. H. BOSLEY, Dist. Pass. Agent, Richmond, Va.

SMOKE
Cuban Blossom
CIGARS!

WHY ?

Because It Is the Best Cigar for the Money.

H. L. Vollers
Wholesale Grocer.

Never Out **Bijou** Never Over
Change of Program Daily
5 Cents

THE MORNING STAR

Published by the WILMINGTON STAR COMPANY [Inc.] Wilmington, N. C.

Entered as second-class matter at the postoffice at Wilmington, N. C., under act of Congress, March 2nd 1874.

FULL ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.

PUBLISHERS' ANNOUNCEMENT.

THE MORNING STAR, the oldest daily newspaper in North Carolina, is published daily except Monday, at $6 per year, $3 for six months, $1.50 for three months, 50 cents for one month, served by carrier in the city or by mail.

THE SUNDAY STAR, by mail, one year, $1; six months, 50 cents; three months, 25 cents.

ADVERTISING RATES may be had on application and advertisers may feel assured that through the columns of this paper they may reach all Wilmington, Eastern Carolina and contiguous territory in South Carolina.

Obituary sketches, cards or thanks, communications espousing the cause of a private enterprise or a political candidate, and like matter, will be charged at the rate of 10 cents per line, or if paid cash in advance, a half rate will be allowed. Announcements of fairs, festivals, balls, hops, picnics, society meetings, political meetings, etc., will be charged under same conditions except so much thereof as may be of news value to readers of the paper.

Advertisements discontinued before expiration of contracts are charged transient rates for time actually published. Payment for transient advertisements must be cash in advance. Contract advertisers will not be allowed to exceed their space at same rates or advertise anything foreign to their regular business without extra charge.

Advertisements to occupy special place will be charged for according to position desired.

TELEPHONES: Business Office No. 51; Editorial and Local rooms No. 61. Call either if the other doesn't answer.

COMMUNICATIONS, unless they contain important news, or discuss briefly and properly subjects of real interest, are not wanted; and if acceptable in every other way, they will be invariably rejected unless the real name of the author accompanies the same, not necessarily for publication but as a guarantee of good faith.

Friday, September 2nd, 1910.

Says the Charleston News and Courier: "Republicans do not even try to run for office in South Carolina." The reason is that the loyal people of South Carolina have memories which they cultivate. It is all to their credit.

The wife of a standpatter tried to smuggle a $6,000 necklace through the port of New York a few days ago. She was caught, humiliated and made to pay for it, but if her old man is a tariff beneficiary he will make the people not only pay for the tariff duty but for the whole necklace.

The North Carolinian who goes Republican this time will have to blot out his memory of what Republicanism has done for North Carolina in the past and will have to shut his eyes to present conditions which show that even a so-called "respectable" Republican party fully deserves repudiation upon its open record of standing in with its predatory tariff beneficiaries.

The people of North Carolina have no more reason to believe that the Republican party in North Carolina will be any more respectable under the Butler and Morehead munipulations than it was under Duncan and the "pie syndicate." A change of pie distributors means nothing to a North Carolinian who is content to stick to the Democratic party because it is safer for the State and for his best interests to do so.

President Taft in his "keynote" letter favors a tariff commission as a solution of the complaints about tariff robbery. That is an ackuowledgement that Congress is incapable of giving the people a square deal, but a tariff commission of standpatters appointed by standpatters could not be trusted any more than a Republican Congress. The real solution will be a Democratic President and a Democratic Congress to back him.

Among the Republican worthies who are expected to speak in behalf of Republicanism and Butlerism in North Carolina is Vice President Sherman, alias "Slippery Jim," who has been repudiated by Taft and Roosevelt since he consented to spellbind among the Tar Heels. Another who was to do some spellbinding in North Carolina is Congressman McKinley, of the Republican campaign committee, who has since been repudiated by the people in his own district in California. The Californians took an insurgent in McKinley's stead. Speeches from repudiated sources will be pretty apt to be repudiated in the Good Old North State.

To read about ex-President Roosevelt's utterances about political unholiness, we are struck with the fact that no reference whatever is made to the Ex-President's actual conversion to that idea. We have seen nowhere that he has expressed contrition that, through his campaign manager, Cortelyou, appointed for the purpose of pulling the legs of the trusts and corporations, he accepted $300,000 from the Harriman corruption fund to buy votes and make sure of carrying doubtful States. Neither have we seen any expression of confession on his part for mulcting the insurance companies for thousands of dollars belonging to the widows and orphans' funds, wrongfully perverted to political bribery. Neither have we learned of any apology he ever made for giving the lie to Judge Parker for exposing the insurance scandal, although an investigation afterwards proved that Judge Parker had spoken the gospel truth. Until Col. Roosevelt makes a true confession people will refuse to believe that he is a sincere penitent.

BEGGING IN VAIN.

President Taft's "keynote" letter to Congressman McKinley, of the Republican campaign committee, is the best begging plea that could be put up for a losing cause. He acknowledges that the Republican party has not fully complied with its pledges and simply begs for another chance.

We feel sorry for President Taft, but he should know that the people are tired giving the Republican party any further time either to try to fulfill its pledges or to give it a chance to go on like it has been, doing the things which made its pledges necessary in order that it might deceive the people one more time in 1908-1910. Two years after a pledge is made is sufficient time to come across, and more than that the Republican party has been in power for about 50 years, with a brief intermission, and it is not only the non-fulfillment of its latest pledges but an accumulation of wrongs and pernicious policies which make it a malefactor undeserving of any further trial. To give the G. O. P. further time to fulfill its solemn pledges, deliberately violated, simply means to "give it more rope." Verily, the Republican party has been weighed in the balance and found wanting. The Democrats have weighed it and found it so years ago. The insurgent Republicans have recently weighed it and their weights tally with the Democratic weights.

The Richmond Virginian rightly characterizes the "keynote" letter of President Taft, when it says the President's letter "is in essence a repetition of the mendicant attitude which the Chief Executive has lately adopted toward his party, his enemies and his friends." It is the President's party which forced him into that attitude of mendicancy. He cannot apologize for it and as a matter of necessity he has to beg for it in the way of pleas characterized by palpable sophistry or honest misrepresentation. His letter, indeed, is "a petition for another chance, coupled with an attempt to renew a violated promise."

It is not alone the violated party pledges which have aroused the people of the United States but it is the unfulfilled campaign promises of the President himself who not only failed to urge Congress from the very beginning to fulfill the platform pledges but permitted Aldrich and the representatives of plutocracy to have their way without his vehement protest. After they had their way, the President endorsed Aldrich and his tariff monstrosity as "a revision" of the tariff. He not only swallowed Aldrichism, but stood by Ballinger when the entire country knew that a scandal of large proportions was involved in a condition of affairs which had exsted for years and years in the Interior Department. The Friar land scandals in the Philippines, the Alaskan land scandals and the Indian land scandals are but evidences of outrageous administration if not downright criminality. However ,the story of the mountain of infamies which has been created by the Republican party in the long period of its existence in behalf of special interests, is too big a thing to be handled in this column. It has to be given in broken doses, and we rather think the tariff ridden people of the United States already know enough to impel them to reject the President's plea for mercy for his worm-eaten party.

Nevertheless, the President sends to McKinley a letter which makes the most of a bad proposition. In the first place, the President has to appease his own party but he makes a poor effort at it when he attempts to deny the necessity for and the justice of the fight which the insurgents have begun for the reformation of a sinful party. He will hardly convince the insurgents that they are so wild and woolly that they do not know what they are doing and have to be told that there is no cause for their efforts to make a fight in the interest of the tariff ridden people of this country. However, McKinley will make the most of the Presidential sophistry, but more is the pity, from his personal standpoint, because he has himself been repudiated in his own Congressional district. An insurgent has been nominated in his stead. so McKinley is making a National fight for what has already been condemned by the Republican party in his own State of California. His cause deserves to be lost in the Nation as well as in his own State.

If Tom Watson believes any Georgians want to beat the stuffing out of him, why on earth does he not become a fugitive from justice?

"What's in a name?" Why everything so far as Governor Hoke Smith's name is concerned. It simply affords Governor Little Joe Brown's friends a chance to go around calling him Hoax Myth.

While in Europe this Summer a Philadelphia woman climbed one of the highest peaks of the Alps. She performed a great stunt but it's no reason why she should return home and peak the old man.

Men will fight over politics whether you have a primary election, a convention, a precinct meeting or a cross road assemblage. Some men would raise a row at a Sunday School convention if they got a chance.

HIGHWAY CONVENTION TODAY.

The Highway Convention to be held at Laurinburg today is a matter of immense importance to Wilmington and to every county and town from here to Charlotte. The prospects are that it will be largely attended by the leading citizens and county officials of every county through which the "Mountains to the Sea Highway" will run. Wilmington will be largely represented and those who will attend left this morning at 5 o'clock over the Seaboard Air Line, accompanied by delegates from Columbus. Laurinburg expects to give the visitors a royal time, for concerning the highway meeting that esteemed Laurinburg Exchange says:

"The Charlotte-to-Wilmington highway meeting which has been called by Editor Dockery, of the Rockingham Post, for Friday at the Court House in Laurinburg bids fair to exceed even the greatest hopes of the promoters of the movement. The proposition, advanced several weeks ago by the Rockingham Post and having as its immediate object the bridging of the Pee Dee river at Blewitt's Falls and the building of passable roads through the eastern counties of North Carolina and the connecting up of the already good roads between Wilmington and Charlotte, is a sound business one and one of perhaps as great concern to the best interest and development of the entire stretch of the State from Charlotte eastward along the Carolina Central Railroad. At the suggestion of the Wilmington Morning Star a meeting at some central point was decided upon and in response to the invitation of the Laurinburg Exchange the meeting place was fixed at Laurinburg. The time set by Mr. Dockery is next Friday, Sept. 2nd. Already every county to be touched by the highway has shown an unexpected interest and all promises to have representatives here at the meeting. Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, State Geologist, and good roads enthusiast and authority of Chapel Hill, and Attorney General Thos. W. Bickett, of Raleigh, will be present and will make speeches of such interest to the convention as to make the trip worth while if made for no other purpose than to hear them. The Boards of County Commissioners of all the counties are expected to attend besides many representatives including representatives of the various newspapers published in the section of the State."

The Exchange says everything is complete for a successful meeting and we infer from the arrangements announced that a big time is in store for all who attend this important assemblage of live men. The Exchange considers it "the most important gathering which Laurinburg has had in her midst since the days of the new county movement!" Among the arrangements for entertaining the delegates will be an automobile excursion through Scotland county, one of the finest agricultural sections of North Carolina. That trip will be taken in the afternoon and will open the eyes of all who have not seen the fine cotton lands around Laurinburg.

The editor of the Exchange, in speaking of the determination to link up the roads of the various counties into a modern highway from Wilmington to the mountains says "this highway is a possibility and should be accomplished without much delay." It is more than a "possibility." It is a very strong probability and we have no doubt that the meeting in Laurinburg today absolutely means that the highway is a certainty.

Our esteemed Laurinburg contemporary is satisfied that the movement is a great one and remarks: "What it will be worth to Laurinburg alone nothing but the fullness of time will disclose, but that the good of it will be tremendous can not be doubted." The same can be said of every county along the route of the main line, for we are satisfied there will sooner or later be numerous connecting lines of highway from scores of communities between here and Charlotte.

PROGRESSIVENESS ATTRACTS.

The county which does not make progress and is content to keep a back seat during this progressive age attracts no new homeseekers but breeds discontent among the enterprising citizens who have the misfortune to be located in a do nothing county. It is getting so now that live men leave dead communities and make a bee-line for cities and counties which are actively in the march of progress. Therefore, it behooves a city and county to be progressive and be up and doing or else lose its best men, while utterly failing to attract newcomers.

It is getting to be a new thing for the progressive portion of a dead county to manifest a determination to cut loose from a county which is making no progress, or very little if any. This spirit is manifested by a portion of Fairfield county, South Carolina, which desires to be annexed to Richland county. Promoters of the plan for annexation, among other reasons, base their arguments on the fact that Richland county holds a position more advanced than Fairfield in the matter of good roads. A portion of Lexington county also seeks annexation to Richland for the same reason. In Fairfield county the people are to vote on the question of annexation with every probability that the vote will be practically unanimous in favor of it.

There you are! Counties which are drones will be absorbed by live and progressive counties or else they will dry up and blow away. If there are any counties in North Carolina which are dragging at the tail end of the procession they had better stir their stumps or they will go out of commission.

The man who has a meal ticket is lucky under the Taft administration.

A whole lot of hat and a little bit of woman will continue to be the fashion this Fall.

Republican campaign manager McKinley should invite a few "open letters" from Senators Bristow, Dolliver, Cummins and LaFollette.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Don't run a man down because he is old, for that is not his fault, and some day you may be the same way, if some one does not knock you in the head with a brick before hand.—Newbern Sun.

We do not credit the report that Mr. Sherman will address the voters of Maine. The Republicans have a chance up there, and they are not going to throw it away.—Charleston News and Courier.

Iredell county believes in the name Zebulon Vance. It has named for the third time Zebulon Vance Long for the Senate, and Zebulon Vance Turlington for the House. All that North Carolina needs in the next Legislature is that it will be governed by the Zeb Vance spirit.—Raleigh News and Observer.

Everybody in North Carolina would be glad to see Julian Carr worth a whole billion, for he'd spend much of it in a princely way giving happiness to others—particularly the old Confederate veterans. He has chartered a special train at his own expense to carry the North Carolina veterans to the Reunion at Norfolk on the 6th of September.—Raleigh News and Observer.

The nomination of Mr. Iredell Meares by the Sixth District Republicans, with the muddled condition of Democratic politics in the Wilmington section, means that there is another "doubtful" district in North Carolina. It is the opinion of many Democrats that if Mr. Godwin is nominated in the approaching second primary that Meares will defeat him.—Charlotte Chronicle.

A prophecy: One of these days, when Morehead shall have been smoked out on that local self-government plank, the new chairman will favor the State with his definition of that local self-government plank, in which he will affect to say what he thinks, and mean what he says. When that time comes it will be just as well for the State to bear in mind that the deception was practiced as long as possible.—Asheville Gazette-News. (Rep.)

In 1900 the American consumer of sugar paid more than 2 cents a pound in excess of the price paid by the London consumer. If the tariff was not to blame for the difference in price, will some Republican speaker or newspaper explain what was the cause? Query No. 2. If the American consumer does not pay the tariff on sugar when he buys it at the grocery, who does pay it and where is it paid? Query No. 3. If the tariff on sugar is paid by the consumer, is it not reasonable to presume that the amount of the tariff on blankets, woolens, hardware, farm machinery, and other protected articles, is also paid by the consumer?—Greensboro Record.

There seems to be no doubt that things are at present going badly for the Republicans in Maine and Vermont, where elections are held this month, on the sixth and twelfth insts., respectively. Unlike New Hampshire, these States have no fight in progress between standpatters and progressives, but for that very reason they may from the Republican standpoint, acquit themselves worse, inasmuch as the benefit of progressive sentiment accrues more largely to Democratic candidates. If we were to prescribe the ideal condition for Democratic success throughout the country this Fall and two years hence, we would give the standpatters complete victory in their own party everywhere. On such terms almost the entire West would reverse present majorities, and —for insurgent or progressive sentiment has shown itself strong in the most unexpected places—New England and the East generally would doubtless show great change. National Republican managers are vigorously endeavoring to better the situation in Vermont and Maine, lest their party and their own faction as well receive a hard blow at the outset. They may succeed, but Vermont and Maine will both bear watching.—Charlotte Observer.

"While it is a historical fact that the Democratic party frequently indulges in factional quarrels," says the Winchester Star, "it has never yet fallen so low as to have a Vice President of its choice kicked out of the party by the President with whom he was elected and of whose administration he was an integral part. But that is just what has been done to Vice President Sherman by President Taft." The Star might have gone further and stated that in all its history the Democracy has never accorded a President who insulted the people by acknowledging a responsibility alien to that to which he was elected. It has yet to place in the White House a man so lost to the dignity of the position and the sense of its honor as to substitute for his popular stewardship a private accounting. It has yet to reach the pass where both sides of a dispute cleft by irreconcilable principles look to a private citizen as arbitrator in utter disregard of the principles which either side professes. In all its disastrous internecine fights, it has never yet known the vice of success at the cost of the compromise of conviction. It has never made the practice of betrayal the philosophy of its existence. It has never, in the moments of its extremity, looked toward cowardice for relief. Its leaders have led, and when they could not lead they have gone down in defeat with their purposes intact. If as the result of party independence a leader has become unpopular, he at least has taken his medicine. There has been in the Democracy at least no weakling pause and hesitation as to what it believed. It has believed and it has differed. It has followed only what it believed.—Richmond Virginian.

That the Republicans will wage an energetic campaign in the Sixth Congressional district is guaranteed by the nomination of Iredell Meares, of Wilmington, as the party's standard bearer. Mr. Meares is easily one of the ablest men and most resourceful campaigners in the State, a born orator, and a bold, courageous man, true to principle and conviction. Mr. Meares enters the race against odds in voting strength of the two parties as shown in past elections. In fact the returns two years ago showed about two to one in favor of the Democratic candidate. To overcome this is the Herculean task Mr. Meares has accepted. The Democrats have internal dissensions, and a record for broken promises, outraged principles, disregard of the rights of men and incompetency in handling public affairs, which combined gives the Republicans good figting grounds. The Democratic record will not be spared by Mr. Meares in the campaign which he will make. He is a student and is well posted. We may expect a mighty rattling of the old dry political bones of the Sixth district. The Congressional team in this State thus continues to be strengthened. Only three more conventions are to be held—the First, Second and Fourth Districts. In the Third District the Democratic nominee, Dr. "Red Shirt" Faison, the man who is opposed to public schools, is opposed by George Butler, of Sampson, who is one of the cleanest, ablest and most progressive men on the Republican ticket. Mr. Butler has seen service in the State Legislature, and took a high stand on all public questions. In many ways he proved his sterling character, ability and devotion to principle. He should redeem the Third District by a large majority. With these two—Meares and Butler—latest aditions to the list of Congressional standard bearers, and Blair in the Fifth, Parker in the Seventh, Cowles in the Eighth, McNinch in the Ninth, and Grant in the Tenth, the Republican party has Congressional candidates who deserve to win. They stand for progress in both State and National life.—Greensboro News. (Rep.)

ALMOST HOUSE-CLEANING TIME

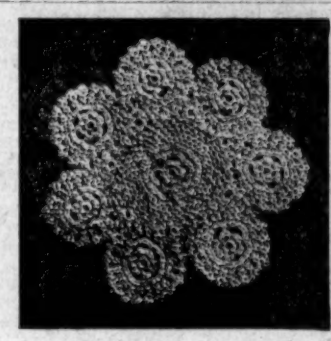
Mattings, Carpets, Rugs, Shades and Lace Curtains.

Easel Curtain Stretchers, formerly sold at $2.50; this week we make the price $1.98
The best stretchers known

About 150 rolls of fancy Jap Matting; green blue and red; 25c matting; this week laid free of charge at 22c

Heavy China Matting in Great Assortment!

American Hand Worked Table Matts



In great variety of sizes and patterns,

10c, 15c, 25c and up to $1.98.

Muslin Underwear in great variety. Fine quality.

J. H. Rehder & Co.
THE POPULAR DEPARTMENT STORE
THE FIRM THAT PAYS YOUR CAR FARE.

$5.00 Silk Underskirts, this week, $3.48.

The Tailoring Department at David's

announces the arrival of the New Fall Woolens, and invites your attention to the display.

Our collection of Foreign Fabrics is of the Highest Guaranty of of weave and worth, as well as the accepted criterion of correct style.

The David Tailoring Department offers what every particular dresser desires—a distinctive shade—a pattern late from the source of style, and a cut and finish unsurpassed.

We will be pleased to have your order.

This store is the home of Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes and John B. Stetson Hats. Now showing Eall Styles.

David's

au-28-tf

Foley Kidney Pills

What They Will Do for You

They will cure your backache, strengthen your kidneys, correct urinary irregularities, build up the worn out tissues, and eliminate the excess uric acid that causes rheumatism. Prevent Bright's Disease and Diabates, and restore health and strength. Refuse substitutes.

ROBERT R. BELLAMY

Trinity College

Five Departments—Collegiate, Graduate, Engineering, Law, and Education. Large library facilities. Well-equipped laboratories in all departments of science. Gymnasium furnished with best apparatus. Expenses very moderate. Aid for worthy students.

Teachers and Students expecting to engage in teaching should investigate the superior advantages offered by the new Department of Education in Trinity College.

For catalogue and further information, address

R. L. FLOWERS, Secretary, Durham, N. C.

A. D. BROWN
29 North Front Street.

Style Distinction

And genuine worth are the keynote to our line of Ladies' Ready made Suits. Latest styles and patterns in all kinds of dress goods, underwear, hosiery and notions.

When looking for a floor covering don't fail to see our large line of Carpets, Mattings, Rugs and Art Squares. We can suit you.

A. D. BROWN

240

jl-s2-au

Capital $550,000.
Surplus $410,000
$960,000

THE MURCHISON NATIONAL BANK
OF WILMINGTON

Receives deposits, lends money on approved security, and conducts a comprehensive banking business by the best known modern methods.
United States, Government, State, County and City Depositary.

MR. ROBT. CARNEY INJURED

Janitor of Southern Building Fell Through Elevator Shaft, Receiving Injuries That May Prove Fatal.

Mr. Robert Carney, the janitor of the Southern Building, corner Front and Chesnut streets, is in the James Walker Memorial Hospital in a serious condition, as the result of a fall early yesterday morning through the elevator shaft from the entrance lobby to the basement below, a distance of 12 or 15 feet.

His injuries consist of a severe bruise on the top of the head, fracture of the molar bone and probably a slight fracture of the skull though the latter is by no means certain. The greatest danger is from internal hemorrhages from the wound on the head, there being symptoms of this yesterday morning.

Mr. Carney had just arrived at the Southern building, in company with his little son, to begin his day's work when the unfortunate accident occurred. He stopped in the lobby to the entrance of the building to speak to an acquaintance and then opened the door to the elevator shaft, expecting to take the elevator to another floor of the building. He evidently thought the elevator in its accustomed place when not in use; on a level with the floor of the lobby. But the elevator had been left some distance above. So when Mr. Carney stepped forward he plunged through the open shaft to the basement below. Mr. Carney's son witnessed the accident and ran in the C. W. Polvogt Co.'s store and called Mr. Wannamaker, who went to the unfortunate man's assistance.

The hospital ambulance was hurriedly called and the injured man taken to the institution where he is being given every attention. He was in an unconscious condition when picked up and had not regained consciousness at 10 o'clock last night. At that hour a message from the hospital was to the effect that there had been no material change in Mr. Carney's condition. Earlier in the day there were alarming symptoms of internal hemorrhages of the head and while the symptoms were not so pronounced last night the physicians still fear hemorrhages may occur. His condition is regarded as extremely serious, but he has some chance of recovery.

Mr. Carney is the second person to be injured by a fall through the elevator shaft at the Southern building, a negro boy, several years ago, having fallen from the second floor to the basement, receiving serious injuries.

Mr. Carney has a wide circle of friends who sincerely hope that his injuries will not prove as serious as they now appear and that it will be a matter of a short time before he is restored to health again.

AUGUST FINANCES.

Receipts and Disbursements of Public Fund for the Month.

Capt. Thos. D. Meares, clerk of the Board of Audit and Finance, has just completed the audit of the books of the treasurer for the month of August showing condition of the public fund as follows:

There was a balance on hand at the beginning of the fiscal year amounting to $49,043.66 and the balance on hand August 1st, 1910, was $43,458.27. The receipts from real estate, personal and poll tax for the fiscal year to date have been $183.55; back taxes $1,487.02 against only $347.52 during the same period last year. License tax collections were as follows: Merchants, corporations, etc., August, $1,758.25, fiscal year to date $9,729, same period last year $8,535; near beer licenses, August $300, fiscal year to date $10,500, same period last year $5,500; vehicles, in August $3.10, fiscal year to date $224.80, same period last year $225.40; dogs, in August $6.30, fiscal year to date $1,111.80, same period last year $1,197.20. Market rents in August $526.68, fiscal year to date $1,101.59, same period last year $772.98; rents from buildings, wharves, etc., fiscal year to date $50, same period last year $295.00; engineers' fees, in August $12.50, fiscal year to date $115.50; miscellaneous, August, $3.50, fiscal year to date, $152.20, same period last year $29.67.

The total revenue was in August $2,610.33, fiscal year to date $4,655.46, same period last year $16,902.77. The total balances and revenue were in August $46,068.60, fiscal year to date $73,699.12. The disbursements were, August $31,741.86, fiscal year to date $59,372.38, leaving a balance of $14,326.74 on hand Sept. 1st. This balance consists of cash in bank $10,968.26, advances for coupons $720, advances, employes $547.40, cash and cash items $2,091.08.

ONLY ONE BID RECEIVED.

Offer for $100,000 Worth Water and Sewerage Bonds Rejected.

The Finance Committee of the Board of Aldermen, Chairman Louis E. Hall, presiding, and Alderman B. O. Stone, member of the committee, and Col. C. H. White, assistant City Clerk and Treasurer, in attendance held a meeting at the City Hall yesterday for the purpose of opening bids for the $100,000 worth of water and sewerage bonds ordered placed on the market for sale a few weeks ago by the Board of Aldermen and Board of Audit and Finance. Only one bid was received, that of the Woodin, McNear & Moore, of Chicago, Ill., and this was slightly under par the bid submitted by letter was increased $500 by wire yesterday morning, however. Under the law governing the bond issue the bonds cannot be sold for less than par. The bid of the Chicago firm was rejected because it could not be legally accepted and also for the reason that the committee felt that the bonds would bring more than par later when the bond market is in better condition. The bonds are to become due and payable 40 years after the date of issuance, and are to bear interest at the rate of 4 1-2 per cent. per annum. The bonds will be offered for sale again at a later date.

A Man of Iron Nerve.

Indomitable will and tremendous energy are never found where Stomach, Liver, Kidney and Bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills, the matchless regulators, for keen brain and strong body. 25c at Robert R. Bellamy's.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

Largely Attended Convention in Brunswick County Yesterday.—Several Addresses.—Forward Step Taken. Work of Church.

With twelve Sunday Schools represented by 60 delegates and twice as many visitors from various parts of the county in attendance the first semi-annual convention of the Brunswick County Sunday School Association, a branch of the State Interdenominational Association, was held at New Hope Presbyterian Church at Winnabow yesterday. It was a gathering of the representative Sunday School workers of the county and as a result of the convention it is expected that the Sunday Schools will show a material improvement during the next six months.

The Association was called to order at 10 o'clock yesterday morning by the president, Rev. W. V. MacRae, of Southport. A roll call showed that there were present 60 delegates from 12 Sunday Schools in the county and there were in attendance more than a hundred visitors. After the devotional exercises an address of welcome was made by Rev. L. Tate Newland. State Secretary J. Dan Carter was then introduced and he made a most helpful and uplifting address. He spoke for nearly an hour and held the undivided attention of his sympathetic audience. This was followed by a discussion of the following topics: "How to Get the People in the Sunday School," led by Mr. E. W. Taylor; "Organization," or "How to Keep the People in the Sunday School," led by Rev. L. Tate Newland.

At 12:30 o'clock adjournment was taken for dinner, which was served in the grove in good old-fashioned picnic style. It was a sumptuous repast and was heartily enjoyed by all in attendance upon the meeting.

The convention reconvened at 2 o'clock in the afternoon for a business session with Rev. W. V. MacRae, of Southport, presiding. Mr. MacRae announced his resignation as president of the Association and it was reluctantly accepted by the convention. Mr. E. W. Taylor, of Winnabow, who has been secretary and treasurer, was elected to fill the unexpired term of Mr. MacRae, and Miss Rea Swain, of Suburb, was elected secretary and treasurer, to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Taylor.

The Association took a forward step in its decision to organize township associations throughout the county. With this end in view the following township presidents were elected: Town Creek, Mr. Jackson Johnson; Northwest, Mr. George Gainey; Smithville, Rev. Mr. Jenkins, of Southport; Lockwood's Folly, Mr. C. N. Leonard; Shallotte, Mr. Peter Rourk; Waccamaw, Mr. J. P. Milliken. They will call township meetings and organize along the lines of the parent organization. It is expected that they will proceed at once to perfect the township organizations and that at the annual meeting the first Thursday in February at Shallotte Methodist Church some excellent reports will be made of the work of the associations.

Master Walter Bennett and Master Harry Newkirk acted as pages for the convention yesterday. Among the delegates in attendance were Methodists, Presbyterians and Baptists.

At the conclusion of the business session State Secretary Carter briefly addressed the convention. E. H. Cranmer, Esq., of Southport, who was to deliver an address at the afternoon session, was unable to be present. Mr. Carter in his address mentioned the fact that 18 counties had held conventions recently and that he had attended 17 of the number. Mr. Carter spent last night the guest of Mr. Jackson Johnson and will come to Wilmington today to take a train for State headquarters in Raleigh

AWARDED TO MR. BROCK.

Wilmington Electrical Contractor Awarded Contract at Mt. Olive.

Mr. J. O. Brock, the well known electrical contractor and dealer of this city, has been awarded the contract for wiring the large new plant of the Enterprise Lumber Co., at Mount Olive, N. C. Mr. Brock has completed within the past year some very large contracts in different parts of the State and will begin on the work at Mount Olive in a few days.

For the Fall season Mr. Brock at his store on Market street is offering for ten days only his entire stock of chandeliers, portable and drop lights at one-half cost to make room for new stock. He invites a call from those desiring electrical supplies of all kinds.

MARKETS CLOSE LABOR DAY.

Cotton Exchanges and New York Produce—Sept. 3rd and 5th.

A telegram received by the Chamber of Commerce yesterday in regard to the closing of the exchanges for Labor Day is as follows:

"The New York cotton and coffee exchanges and the New Orleans cotton exchange will be closed Saturday and Monday, September 3rd and 5th. The Chicago Board of Trade and New York produce market will be closed on September 5th."

It Saved His Leg.

"All thought I'd lose my leg," writes J. A. Swensen, of Watertown, Wis. "Ten years of eczema, that 15 doctors could not cure, had at last laid me up. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it, sound and well." Infallible for Skin Eruptions, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Boils, Fever Sores, Burns, Scalds, Cuts and Piles. 25c. at Robert R. Bellamy's.

The New Bonds

If you have North Carolina Four Per Cent Bonds, due July 1st, 1910, send them to us for payment or exchange for the new issue. We purchased $150,000.00 of the new Bonds, which are free of all taxes, and being a State depository are prepared to take up the maturing Bonds.

THE SOUTHERN NATIONAL BANK

FROM ATLANTA TO WILMINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. S. Fouche Make Trip in Their Handsome Touring Car—Roads Between This City and Charlotte Bad.

Mr. S Fouche, a prominent business man of Atlanta, Ga., and Mrs. Fouche, arrived in Wilmington Sunday night for a few days' stay, having made the entire trip in their handsome touring car. It required four days to make the trip and half of this time was consumed in coming from Charlotte to Wilmington, owing to the condition of the roads.

Owing to the heavy rains of the past few days Mr. Fouche will not be able to return over the same route, but will go to Fayetteville by steamer, leaving here this afternoon, and start the return trip from that place via Charlotte. He will arrive in Fayetteville tomorrow and expects to leave there in his touring car Sunday morning for Atlanta. It is stated that the roads from Fayetteville to Charlotte are in much better condition at all times than the roads between Wilmington and Charlotte.

The fact that it takes as long to come from Charlotte to Wilmington as it does from Atlanta to Charlotte is an argument that should be used with telling effect at the good roads meeting to be held at Laurinburg today. When it is considered the large number of Georgia and South Carolina people who desire to come to Wilmington via Charlotte in automobiles but are able to make the trip now only by endurance, it would seem that the counties on the line of the proposed highway connecting the two best cities in North Carolina should get busy and put the roads in first-class condition. The meeting in Laurinburg today will be attended by representative good roads enthusiasts from practically every county through which the proposed highway will run and it is believed that the result will be the establishment of the highway in a comparatively short time. The Wilmington delegation will leave on the Seaboard Air Line this morning and will return tonight.

NEGROES GIVEN HEARING.

Charlie Hankins Bound Over to Higher Court on Serious Charge.

Charlie Hankins and Jack Lee, colored, who were believed to be implicated in the robbery of a colored man on Sixth and Campbell streets last Saturday night was one week ago and the subsequent larceny of the money drawer from the store of Mr. Jasper Smith in the same vicinity, were given preliminary hearing before Justice Harriss yesterday morning at 11 o'clock. Lee succeeded in establishing his innocence and was released, but Hankins was held for further investigation in each of the three cases against him.

It will be recalled that Charlie Tyson, colored, was held up and robbed of $8 by two negro men at Sixth and Campbell streets Saturday, August 21st. A short time later two negroes entered the store of Mr. Jasper Smith and while one went to the rear of the door, ostensibly to hold a private conversation with the proprietor, the other negro proceeded behind the counter and took a cigar box that was used as a money drawer, containing $25 or $30. He was discovered with the box just before he made his exit and fired a pistol shot at Mr. Smith, who attempted to stop him. The bullet went wild, however. Both robberies were reported to the police and Officer J. J. Moore was detailed to work on the cases. His investigations led to the arrest a few days ago of Charlie Hankins on the charge of carrying concealed weapons, assault with deadly weapon and larceny from the person, Charlie Tyson being the prosecuting witness. The officer continued to work on the case with the result that Jack Lee, colored, was arrested at an early hour yesterday morning.

At the hearing yesterday the evidence against Hankins was sufficient to bind him over to Superior Court on the charge of larceny from the person and to the Recorder's court for assault with deadly weapon and carrying concealed weapons. He was committed to jail. Mr. Smith testified that Lee was not the negro who secured the money from his store and he (the negro) was released from custody. L. Clayton Grant, Esq., appeared for Hankins.

INDOOR TELEPHONE SYSTEM.

Just Installed in Offices of Rooms of Southern Bank.

The Southern National Bank, already one of the best and most modernly equipped institutions of its kind in the State, has just installed a complete system of telephones in the various branches of its quarters. The convenience will not only greatly facilitate business but will add to the attractiveness of the place. Every department of the bank now has installed a separate telephone and any officer or employe may be summoned in an instant without interruption of any other department of business. The bank will have its own exchange with a young lady in charge and all calls by the Southern Bell, long distance or local, will go to this private exchange who will give the desired number within the bank. The system of indoor telephones is a requisite of modern business and the Southern and its patrons are to be congratulated upon this improved service.

Negro Steals Lady's Suit Case.

A lady arriving yesterday afternoon from Southport to visit her sister, Mrs. Martin, No. 14 North Fourth street, had her suit case stolen by a negro youth whom she engaged to carry it from the wharf to her sister's residence. The youth followed the lady pretty closely until he reached the Colonial Inn, on Market street, and then suddenly disappeared with the baggage. The theft was promptly reported to the police, who were given a good description of the negro boy and a list of the articles in the suit case. They believe that they will be sucessful in their efforts to apprehend him.

—The trial of the case against J. D. Futch, a white man of Pender county, charged with disposing of mortgaged property, has been continued until Saturday, September 10th. The hearing will be before Justice Harriss.

GODWIN FORCES ORGANIZE

Will Make Determined Effort to Carry New Hanover County in the Primary—Sub-Committees Are Appointed.

Congressman Hannibal L. Godwin, candidate for renomination in the primary to be held throughout the Sixth District September 15th, returned yesterday afternoon to Dunn, after a visit of two days to this city, where he held a number of conferences with his friends and supporters. Mr. Godwin returned feeling pretty confident of securing a big vote in this county and his friends gave him assurance of a majority of the votes that will be cast.

Godwin's friends will wage a vigorous and determined fight to win for him a majority of New Hanover's vote as is evidenced by a representative meeting of his friends and supporters last night at which plans were perfected for systematizing his campaign in the county. The meeting was presided over by Woodus Kellum, Esq., who was made chairman of the central committee. Sub-committees of five for each of the several county precincts and wards of the city were appointed. The plans of the campaign adopted at the meeting are said to be in accordance with those already in operation in each county in the Sixth district, assuring for Mr. Godwin, his friends say active support.

One of those attending the meeting said: "The plan adopted will be put in active operation at once and Mr. Godwin's friends may be assured that his full strength will be gotten to the polls and his nomination be accomplished at the count of the ballots on the 15th of September."

Chairman Marsden Bellamy, of the New Hanover Democratic Executive Committee, stated yesterday that he had received a letter from State Chairman Eller asking his hearty co-operation with the State committee in arranging for the primary ordered to be held September 15th and suggesting that the county executive committee be called to meet Monday at noon for the purpose of naming the officers of the primary. Mr. Bellamy stated further that he had not received any notice as yet from the special State committee in Raleigh. However, he has decided to call the committee together at noon Monday and let the committee take such action as it deems best. There are also some other matters of interest to be threshed out by the committee. A call for the meeting was issued by Chairman Bellamy yesterday.

THE CROOM CASE SETTLED.

The Prosecutor, Mattie Allen, Ordered to Pay the Costs.

In the Recorder's court yesterday morning the cases against Thomas Croom, a well known white man, charged with assault upon Mattie Allen and another white woman, were again called for trial, having been continued several times. The defendant was represented by Herbert McClammy and Walter P. Gafford, Esq., while Hon. John D. Bellamy appeared for the prosecution. The matter had been satisfactorily adjusted between the lawyers and the warrants were withdrawn and the prosecutor, Mattie Allen, was taxed with the costs. Cases against the women for assault on Croom were also satisfactorily adjusted.

The case against John Williams, colored, charged with selling whiskey in violation of the prohibition law, was continued until next Tuesday the request of the prosecution.

DIXIE DAY AT CINCINNATI.

Asks Wilmington Chamber of Commerce to Send Representative.

Secretary J. A. McGeachy, of the Chamber of Commerce, has received a letter requesting that a representative be sent from the Chamber to the Ohio Valley Exposition to be present on the New Orleans Panama Exposition and Dixie Day, on September 8th.

Commercial organizations from throughout the South will likely be represented and the exposition will be in progress at Cincinnati for a week. On Dixie Day an address will be delivered by the Governor of Louisiana and some other well known Southern orator, who will be chosen. The day will be one to boost New Orleans as the proper city for the Panama Exposition in 1915.

CUTTER OFF TO HATTERAS.

Goes to Destroy Wrecked Schooner Reported in That Vcinity.

On a cruise to destroy the wrecked schooner Monohan reported sunken 20 miles south, southwest of Cape Hatteras, the revenue cutter Seminole, Capt. Crisp, cleared from port yesterday afternoon and will go to sea early this morning, remaining at Southport last night.

The cutter recently returned from Cape Lookout, where she secured information in regard to the Monohan, which was abandoned by her crew in a sinking condition about two weeks ago. The schooner drifted for some two days after she was deserted and finally sunk at the place stated. The Seminole will blow up the wreck to get it out of danger to passing vessels.

The Lash of a Fiend

would have been about as welcome to A. Cooper, of Oswego, N. Y., as a merciless lung-racking cough that defied all remedies for years. "It was most troublesome at night," he writes, "nothing helped me till I used Dr King's New Discovery which cured me completely. I never cough at night now." Millions know its matchless merit for stubborn colds, obstinate coughs, sore lungs, lagrippe, asthma, hemorrhage, croup, whooping cough, or hay fever. It relieves quickly and never fails to satisfy. A trial convinces. 50c, $1.00. Trial bottle free. It's positively guaranteed by Robert R. Bellamy.

—George Staniland, colored, was given hearing in Justice Harriss' court yesterday on the charge of abandonment. The evidence was to the effect that he had abandoned his wife, but for a lawful cause, and the case was dismissed. Kellum & Loughlin represented the defendant.

MRS. KATE M'NORTON DEAD.

Aged Lady Passed Away Late Yesterday Afternoon—Funeral.

Many friends will learn with regret of the death of Mrs. Kate E. McNorton, who passed away at her home, No. 110 South Sixth street, at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, after an illness of two weeks. Her death was due mainly to infirmities of old age, being in the 73rd year of her age. Up to two weeks ago she was remarkably active for one of her advanced years, but when she was taken ill she sank gradually until the end at the hour mentioned. Mrs. McNorton had resided in this city ever since the death of her husband, who passed away at their home at East Arcadia, Bladen county, four years ago the 6th of July last. She had made many friends in this city who will be pained to learn of her death and hundreds of friends in Bladen county will hear of her passing with deep sorrow. She was for many years a consistent member of the Methodist church and when she came to this city to reside moved her membership to Grace Methodist church.

Mrs. McNorton is survived by three children, Messrs. J. A. and A. L. McNorton, and Miss Lena R. McNorton, all of this city, who have the tenderest sympathy of a great many friends in this bereavement. The body will be taken tomorrow morning to Waymann Church, near Armour, N. C., where the funeral and interment will take place at an hour to be announced later. The services will be conducted by Rev. Thos. A. Smoot, pastor of Grace Methodist church.

NAVAL STORES INCREASE.

Good Showing for Spirits and Rosin at Port During August.

With an increase of over 3,000 barrels of rosin during the month of August, as compared with the same period last year, and an excellent showing for spirits, naval stores receipts during the month make an unusually good showing for the port of Wilmington.

According to statistics posted at the Chamber of Commerce the receipts of rosin were 7,606 barrels against 4,120 for the same month last season and 1,520 casks of tar against 1,270 for August 1909.

The receipts for the first five months of the season up to September 1st, give an increase in each item, with the exception of spirits and crude, as will be noted by the following figures: Spirits 5,167 against 5,266; rosin 25,162 against 23,764; tar 7,816 against 5,293; crude 5,478 against 6,608.

THE CRYSTAL PALACE.

Will Reopen in a Short Time Under New Management.

Mr. Frank Peiffer, the popular manager of "Joyland," announced yesterday that he had closed a deal for the Crystal Palace and that the theatre would re-open under its new management within a few weeks, the date to be announced later. Mr. Peiffer has made a great success in the moving picture business and his many friends predict for him the same degree of success with vaudeville at the Crystal Palace. The place will be run on the same plan as Joyland and only such acts that are of a high moral character will be permitted.

—Thomas Jordan, colored, was given hearing yesterday in Justice Harriss' court on the charge of assault on Robt. Townsend, colored. It was a rather aggravated case and the defendant was sentenced to 30 days on the county roads.

CHILDREN'S ILLS IN SUMMER

The hardest period of a child's life is during the heated term. It is then that the little men and women become so subject to stomach and bowel troubles. With one it manifests itself in the form of obstinate constipation, with another the very reverse—diarrhea. One is as bad and as dangerous as the other. Constipation makes the child lose appetite and sleep, makes it languid and sickly-looking. Diarrhea weakens it and destroys appetite and energy. Piles, pimples, eruptions, itch, worms, etc., follow in the train until many a mother feels that her child is indeed very ill. But these are all troubles that can be easily cured. The child needs a few doses of a remedy like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, the grand laxative and tonic. Parents can make no possible mistake by giving it Syrup Pepsin, as the chances are always in favor of the child needing a laxative. It is sold in two sizes, 50 cents and $1.00, and any druggist can supply you. It cannot be mentioned too strongly that parents should look closely after the welfare of the children during the hot months. If you would like to try it before buying send your address for a FREE SAMPLE BOTTLE to

USE DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN

DR. W. B. CALDWELL, 400 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill.

Do Not Forget

That the deposits made at this bank on or before FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2nd, will draw 4 per cent interest from September 1.

The People's Savings Bank

That Big White Building,
Corner Front & Princess Streets.

au-28-tf.

HEARING YESTERDAY AT NOON.

Adjustment of Differences Between Lawyer and His Client.

Following a dispute near corner of Front and Princess streets yesterday morning about 10 o'clock, Jackson Greer, Esq., of the Whiteville bar, is alleged to have attempted to strike Mr. C. H. Carter, of this city, with his fist. Mr. Carter went to Justice Bornemann's office and swore out a warrant for Mr. Greer charging him with assault. The papers were served by Deputy Sheriff Temple. Mr Greer then instituted in the justice's court a civil action entitled H. L. Lyon and Jackson Greer, partners and doing business as Lyon & Greer, against C. H. Carter, for $25 alleged to be due on contract, presumably for legal services. The hearing in the cases took place before the justice at noon yesterday, Herbert McClammy, Esq., appearing for Mr. Greer and C. D. Weeks, Esq., for Mr. Carter. After the testimony of witnesses had been heard, the evidence bearing upon both cases, the attorneys agreed that the justice should decide both cases without the introduction of any further testimony. The judgment of the court was that Mr. Greer was guilty of assault on Mr. Carter, taxing him with the costs, and that Mr. Carter should pay the plaintiffs in the civil action the amount of $15. The attorneys accepted the judgment in both cases.

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 1.—The Hampton Roads coal ports broke the record for coal shipment from these ports during the month ending yesterday and dumped approximately 1,000,000 tons. The Virginian Railway exceeded its record by about 13,000 tons, putting 116,870 tons over their pier during August.

The cost of a Business Local is a small fee to pay for securing a good tenant

FRECKLES

September Worst Month for This Trouble—How to Remove Easily.

There's a reason why nearly everybody freckles in September but happily there is also a cure for these ugly blemishes, and no one need stay freckled.

Simply get one ounce of othine, double strength, from J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., and apply a little of it at night, and in the morning you will see that even the worst have begun to disappear, while the light ones have vanished entirely. Now is the time to rid yourself of freckles, for if not removed now they will stay all summer, and spoil an otherwise beautiful complexion. Money back if othine fails.

POLVOGT'S

REMNANT SALE!

Monday, Aug. 29th, to Saturday, Sept. 3rd

Remnants from every department will be put on sale this week regardless of cost. It will pay you to look them over, for every piece has been re-marked to about half of original price.

Remnants of Silks from 1 to 5 yards.

Remnants of Ribbons, suitable for fancy work and hair ribbon.

Remnants of White Goods, Table Linens, etc.

Remnants of Dress Goods, in black and colors; the thing for children's school dresses.

Remnants of Ginghams, Percales, Galatea and Calicoes.

Remnants of Embroideries and Laces.

New Line of Trunks, Suit Cases and Bags—All at Special Prices.

The C. W. Polvogt Co.

OPPOSITE POSTOFFICE.

SOCIETY

Mr. S. F. Highsmith has returned home after spending his vacation with relatives in Sampson county.

* * *

Yesterday's Southport news: "Miss Bessie Loder, of Wilmington, who has been a guest of Miss Mary Lilly Fisher, returned yesterday."

* * *

Miss Gertrude Monroe, of Savannah, Ga., returned home yesterday after a pleasant visit of two weeks to Mrs. F. E. Thompson, on Market street.

* * *

Mrs. Thomas F. Wood and daughter, Miss Maggie Wood, left Wednesday night for the western part of the State, where they will spend a few weeks.

* * *

Messrs. Robert W. Strange and William M. Parsley left yesterday for Chapel Hill, where they will resume their studies at the Fall term of the State University.

* * *

Mrs. T. R. Newkirk, of Tampa, Fla., who has been visiting her sisters in this city for some time, has gone to Chadbourn, where she will visit a few days before going to her Florida home.

* * *

Mr. George W. McWilliams, of Cleveland, Ohio, has arrived and is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mattingly, No. 401 South Sixth street, where he joins Mrs. McWilliams, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Mattingly, for some time.

* * *

The Sunshine Mission Circle of Immanuel Presbyterian Church will give an entertainment tonight (Friday) at 8:30 o'clock in the kindergarten room. The admission is five and ten cents and the proceeds will go to help endow a cot in Dr. George Worth's Hospital at Xiangyin, China. A liberal patronage is solicited.

* * *

Dr. James Powell, the well known dentist of this city, will leave today for Chicago, where he goes on account of Mrs. Powell's health, it being hoped that the change will prove beneficial. During his absence, which will extend over a period of three or four weeks, Dr. Powell will take a post graduate course in crown and bridge work at the Chicago College of Dental Surgery.

* * *

Mrs. Allan Nichols and son Mr. Spencer Nichols, returned to the city yesterday from a pleasant trip abroad, having visited many points of interest. They have been away for several months and during their absence saw the Passion Play. Mrs. Nichols and son have been most cordially welcomed home by their many friends in this city. Mr. Nichols will leave in a few days for Chapel Hill to resume his studies at the University of North Carolina.

* * *

Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian church, who attended the World's Missionary Conference at Edinburg, Scotland, and has traveled extensively abroad during the Summer, is expected home Saturday morning. He sailed on the 13th of August and arrived in New York last week, going from there to Mooresfield, W. Va., where his family has been spending the Summer. His sojourn in the "old country" proved most delightful and he will be greeted with much pleasure by his congregation and many friends upon his return.

* * *

Friends of Mr. Markley Croswell will be interested to know that he will sail from New York in a few days for Hamburg, Germany, where he will be connected with the offices of Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son, in that country. He left yesterday for Asheville, N. C., where he will spend a few days, reaching New York in time to sail next Tuesday. Mr. Croswell is one of Wilmington's best known and most popular young men and carries with him to his new home across the sea the very best wishes of a host of friends for his future success and happiness.

* * *

The many friends of Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Mrs. McClure and children, were delighted to welcome them home yesterday from Montrose, Pa., where they have been spending some weeks at the home of the Torrey Bible Conference. They had a most pleasant sojourn at that delightful place and are much improved as the result of their vacation. Dr. McClure will occupy his pulpit at St. Andrew's as usual Sunday and will be heartily welcomed by his congregation.

* * *

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE WILMINGTON W. C. T. U.

The annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the First Baptist Church with the president, Mrs. W. P. Oldham, presiding and a large number of members and several visitors in attendance. Of chief interest was the annual election of officers: President, Mrs. Bessie Clark; vice president, Mrs. W. P. Oldham; secretary, Mrs. M. A. Keithley; treasurer, Mrs. R. A. Montgomery; pianist, Mrs. C. F. Whitlock. The appointive officers will be announced later by the new president. The annual meeting of the State organization will be held in Newbern some time in October and several Wilmington ladies will probably attend.

Gainesville, Ga., Sept. 1.—After sleeping continuously for 207 hours, the result it is believed of receiving an electric shock of 110 volts recently, Julian Price, 17 years old, awoke early this morning just long enough to speak two words to a relative at his bedside. He again fell asleep despite efforts of physicians to keep him awake.

LOCAL DOTS.

—During the month of August the police made 141 arrests against 151 for the month of July, a decrease of 10.

—Southport News: "Mrs. J. W. Keal and son have moved to Wilmington the past week, where Mrs. Keal has relatives."

—Dr. J. C. Wooten will fill the pulpit of Trinity Church Sunday morning and night in the absence of the pastor, Rev. E. R. Welch who is at the Walker Memorial Hospital.

—"Muggsy's First Sweetheart," an excellent Biograph subject, showing that true love's course ran anything but smooth, is the feature picture that will be shown at the Bijou theatre today. Another picture of interest is "A Change of Heart."

—During the month of August there were issued by Register of Deeds John Haar 24 marriage licenses, seven to white and 17 to colored couples, against 25 for July, when eight were issued to white and 17 to colored couples.

—By bill of sale filed for record yesterday Mitchell Paturis transfers to J. Xanthos and D. P. Xanthos, trading as Xanthos Bros., his half interest in the restaurant at No. 117 Princess street, generally known as the "Dixie Cafe." The consideration was $600.

—Owing to the fact that Monday is Labor Day, the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Aldermen will not be held Monday night, but Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The City Board of Health will meet Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

—Friends of Constable W. B. Savage will regret to learn that he was the victim of a painful accident at Carolina Beach a few days ago as the result of which he was forced to use a walking cane yesterday. While at the beach he stumbled and wrenched one of his knees, which is causing the trouble. His many friends hope that he will be inconvenienced only a few days at most.

Theatrical Season Opens.

The theatrical season in Wilmington opened last night with the presentation of "Ishmael" at the Academy of Music by an exceptionally strong company. It was only a fair sized crowd that witnessed the production, which deserved a much larger audience. The leading lady, Miss Virginia Howell, captivated the audience from her first appearance and impressed all with the fact that she is an actress of decided talent. The part of "Ishmael" was also in capable hands as well as that of the "Black Mammy." In fact, every part was in capable hands and all in all it was an excellent show and greatly pleased those in attendance.

Knoxville, Tenn., Aug. 30.—By telephone tonight when advised of the challenge for a joint debate by Gov Patterson, Mr. Hooper stated that the challenge would be referred to the Republican State Executive Committee. He would abide by its actions and instructions. The challenge was mailed tonight by the Governor from Nashville.

ROOSEVELT AS ARBITRATOR.

May Restore Peace When He Visits Pennsylvania Coal Fields.

Pittsburg, Sept. 1.—The legal and industrial entanglements of the miners and operators in the Irwin and Westmoreland fields will be submitted to Theodore Roosevelt when he visits this city on September 1st. This was announced by District President Francisco Feehan, of the United Mine Workers of America today after he had been arrested with five other local officers, in connection with the actions brought yesterday in the county courts against 87 miners and officials, by seven operating companies in the affected districts.

Feehan further said that when Roosevelt visited the anthracite field a month or more ago he was requested to investigate the trouble in the Westmoreland-Irwin field and that now it was hoped he would be instrumental in restoring peace. Those arrested today are under $2,100 bonds.

Three hundred and thirty-five out of 490 workmen in the mines of the Westmoreland Coal Company, one of the plaintiffs, are reported to have left their work today when they learned of the suits being brought.

In a statement today Feehan asserted that the miners had been misrepresented in their attitude. Attorney Richard B. Scandrett, counsel for the plaintiff companies, announced that the actions were not to be construed as attacks upon the right of working men to organize, but "we charge that operators in the Pittsburg district have contributed support to the maintenance of the strike and paid to have organizers in the field, that the strike might be prolonged." Other suits will be brought against certain operators according to Scandrett, that will reveal a sensational plot.

FREIGHT RATE HEARING.

Examiners Hear Statistics of Operating and Other Expenses.

Chicago, Sept. 1.—Testimony relative to operating cost and revenue of the Rock Island Railway Company occupied the attention of the examiners today in the hearing of the freight rate dispute between the railroads who seek an increased rate on certain commodities and the shippers who oppose the advance.

Tabulations introduced by Comptroller Frank Nay, of the C. R. I. & P. Railway, showed comparisons of different years and the increases and decreases of operating revenue expenses; cost of maintenance of way and other items on which the carriers depend to demonstrate that the increased rates on commodities rates proposed should be permitted to go into effect.

One of the first exhibits introduced by Comptroller Nay was a compilation of statistics extending from 1898 to 1910, showing a total operating revenue in 1898 of $20,382,520; in 1907 of $55,538,487; in 1910 of $63,080,428.

A tabulation based on the present freight rates and on the proposed rates as applied to commodities hauled in 1910 disclosed according to the figures presented by the witness, that the operating revenue of the road would have been increased $142,668 had the proposed rates been in effect.

BUIE'S CREEK SCHOOL.

Opened Tuesday With a Large Enrollment—Some From Wilmington.

The Buie's Creek Military and Business College at Buie's Creek, opened August 30th with the largest registration in its history for the first day in spite of a continual downpour of rain. The registration the first day was over 175 against 98 last year. The total enrollment last year was 495 which will be greatly increased this year. There are several there from Wilmington and several others are expected. Among those already there from Wilmington are: Mr. Fales, son of Alderman J. B. Fales, Mr. R. F. Coleman, Mr. F. Whitlock, son of Rev. C. F. Whitlock, and former manager of the Whitlock Printing Company, Mr. Thomas, Miss Thomas and others.

FOR RAISING THE MAINE.

Capt. Ferguson Appointed to Superintend Work at Havana.

Washington, Sept. 1.—Arrangements were made at the War Department today for Capt. Harley B. Ferguson, a member of the Board of Army Engineers, appointed to remove the wreck of the battleship Maine from the Havana harbor, to go to Havana to superintend the present investigation of the wreck. Arrangements have been made for Major Jervy to relieve Capt. Ferguson of his duties at Montgomery, Ala., thus permitting the latter to give all his time to the raising of the Maine.

Since the last meeting of the board, it has developed that at least one of its members do not look with favor on the O'Rourke plans for raising the battleship, which have been pressed upon the engineers and which were pressed upon President Taft at Beverly, Mass., this week. One member of the board has expressed himself as believing the plan would not give the board the proper opportunity to determine whether the Maine was blown up by an explosion from without or within the ship.

The O'Rourke plan provides for the raising of the Maine by placing cables underneath the wreck and lifting her bodily out of the water. The army engineers are said to favor the construction of caissons around the wreck, and the raising of the wreck by that means.

The ads will show you whether or not there's a chance today to buy that piece of furniture at your price.

Don't Break Down.

Severe strains on the vital organs, like strains on machinery, cause break-downs. You can't over-tax stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels or nerves without serious danger to yourself. If you are weak or run-down, or under strain of any kind, take Electric Bitters the matchless, tonic medicine. Mrs. J. E. Van de Sande, of Kirkland, Ill., writes: "That I did not break down, while enduring a most severe strain, for three months, is due wholly to Electric Bitters." Use them and enjoy health and strength. Satisfaction positively guaranteed. 50c. at Robert R. Bellamy's.

WARRENTON HORSE SHOW.

Inclement Weather Interfered—Winners in Events Yesterday.

Warrenton, Va., Sept. 1.—In spite of unfavorable weather conditions and the possibility of rain at any moment the second day of the Warrenton Horse Show had a good attendance. The first event of interest was Class 47, for which the S. S. H. Mapes cup was given the winner—saddle horses, and was won by Julian Morriss, on Confidante, with Lord Golden, of Hullman, second; Mrs. Potts, of Cobham, on Silver King, claiming third place.

In class 39—Farquhar hunters—Sunday Morning, took first, and King Edward second, both being entries of W. D. Bonner. Roustabout, of Louis Leith, took third place.

The pony class of three entries was won by R. D. Walter. Class 34 went to the team of Bowles Brothers; second place going to Redmond, with Lee Hochenger carrying the yellow ribbon with his team of blacks.

The jumpers of class 40 were local entries and this class was watched with great interest. There were many clean and perfect performances. This class was won by Gawaine, owned by Dr. C. S. Carter, and ridden by B. L. Adamson. Miss Flynn on her favorite entry L'Aiglon, took second place, while the crowd cheered.

In class 33—Aristocrat—Blenheim farms was first; King Edward, W. D. Bonner second, and Keswick, Julian Morris, third.

POLITICS IN PANAMA.

Assembly Ignored Pronouncement From United States Government.

Panama, Sept. 1.—The political situation in the Republic is unchanged. At 3 o'clock this afternoon the National Assembly held its first session and President Mendoza's first message was read. The document reviewed the present administration during the past two years and touched upon foreign relations. In this regard it said that the relations between Panama and foreign nations were most cordial, the Republic having received demonstrations of good will from them. The demonstration made no special reference to the United States, ignoring that country's recent pronouncement that Senor Mendoza's re-election to the Presidency would be unconstitutional.

Later the Assembly elected Constantino Arosemena as president of the body and Dr. Ciro Urriola and Elijio Ocana respectively first and second vice-presidents.

Senor Arosemena is a Liberal and holds the office of president of the municipal council of Panama. Dr. Urriola also is a Liberal. He represented Panama at the International Tuberculosis Congress held in Paris in 1905. Senor Ocana was Governor of the State of Goele during the term of the late Dr. Amador as president of the Republic, but was removed from his post in the latter part of May, 1908, because he was friendly to Senor Obaldia, who had announced his candidacy for the Presidency and later was elected to succeed Amador. In politics Senor Ocana is a conservative.

Try a Star Business Local.

ANOTHER ASHEVILLE HOMICIDE.

Will Swink Mortally Wounded by Pete Sevier.—Acquitted

(Special Star Telegram.)

Asheville, N. C., Sept. 1.—Will Swink, white, was mortally wounded by W. E. (Pete) Sevier at 2 o'clock this morning in a fight in a restaurant. He died in the hospital. Sevier and J. K. Roynton, the latter held as an accessary, were acquitted by an inquest on the grounds of justifiable homicide. Swink held a grudge against former Police Justice Reynolds for imposing a $50 fine and Reynolds accosted him about it. Swink accused Sevier of telling Reynolds tales and Swink jumped on Sevier with a drawn knife.

The "bargain hunter" is no longer the woman who merely haunts the stores. She is the woman who watches the ads and goes to the stores strictly on business.

MADE WELL AND STRONG

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Jefferson, Iowa. — "When my baby was just two months old I was completely run down and my internal organs were in terrible shape. I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and mother wrote and told you just how I was. I began to gain at once and now I am real well." — Mrs. W. H. Burger, 700 Cherry St., Jefferson, Iowa.

Another Woman Cured.

Glenwood, Iowa. — "About three years ago I had falling and other female troubles, and I was nothing but skin and bones. I was so sick I could not do my own work. Within six months I was made sound and well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I will always tell my friends that your remedies cured me, and you can publish my letter." — Mrs. C. W. Dunn, Glenwood, Iowa.

If you belong to that countless army of women who suffer from some form of female ills, just try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

For thirty years this famous remedy has been the standard for all forms of female ills, and has cured thousands of women who have been troubled with such ailments as displacements, fibroid tumors, ulceration, inflammation, irregularities, backache, etc.

If you want special advice write for it to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. It is free and always helpful.

Second Annual Auction Sale

Begins Saturday, Sept. 3rd, at

CHARLES FINKELSTEIN'S

Pawn and Loan Office, 108 Market St.

All unredeemed pledges accumulated for the past twelve months, consisting of Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry, Sporting Goods, Guns, Pistols, Ammunition, Musical Instruments, Trunks, Suit Cases, Hand Bags, Tools, etc; in fact, everything in the house which customers failed to redeem will be sold at

PUBLIC AUCTION Regardless of Cost!

Commencing Saturday, Sept. 3rd, 1910

Three Sales Daily---10:30 to 12 A. M., 3 to 5 P. M., 8 to 10 P. M.

Sale Will Continue Every Day Until All Pledges Are Sold.

We also call your attention that we have a big stock of unredeemed Clothing, Shoes, Hats, etc., which will be sold at private sale for less than their value. You take no chance. All goods sold at private or at auction guaranteed; if not as represented, money refunded.

The Wilmington Pawn and Loan Office

CHARLES FINKELSTEIN, Proprietor.

108 Market Street. -:- Wilmington, N. C.

FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

COTTON SEASON STARTS QUIET

Spot Offerings in the South Caused Prices to Show Downward Tendency on Market—Closed 200 Points Lower.

New York, Sept. 1.—The cotton market started the new season today with business very quiet and with prices showing a downward tendency owing to reports of freer spot offerings in the South. The close was steady at a net decline of 3 to 20 points.

The market opened steady at a decline of two points on September, but generally 1 to 5 points higher in response to better cables than expected and a private condition report showing a deterioration of 4.2 per cent. in the crop outlook for the past month, thus pointing to a government report below the ten year average at noon tomorrow.

Trade interests appeared to be selling September, reported to be again purchasers of spots in the South, and the market from the start was more or less settled. Early offerings were very well absorbed within 2 to 3 points of the initial figures, however and during the middle of the morning agressive support of September by the old crop bull leaders sent the price of that position up to a net gain of five points while it also started covering by early sellers of the later months which advanced to a net gain of 7 to 9 points. This bulge appeared to attract larger offerings from local bears and trade interests and the market broke sharply during the afternoon owing to the failure of bullish crop reports to attract any general demand, the talk of larger new crop offerings, and reports of lower Southern spot support was withdrawn and other positions to a net loss of about 3 to 8 points.

Closing prices were within a point or two of the lowest, although in the late trading the market was a little steadier as a result of covering for over the official condition report tomorrow. Southern spot markets as officially reported were 1-8 to 1c lower, reflecting a further readjustment of prices from the old to the new crop basis.

Receipts of cotton at the ports today 14,481 bales against 7,245 last week, and 11,314 bales last year. For the week 90,000 bales against 55,476 last week and 82,010 last year. Today's receipts at Houston 11,781 bales against 6,967 last year.

Cotton spot closed quiet 200 points lower; middling uplands 15.30; middling gulf 15.75; sales 892 bales. Futures opened steady and closed steady.

Month.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sept.	14.15	14.23	13.96	13.98
Oct.	13.53	13.60	13.43	13.47
Nov.	....	....	....	13.38
Dec.	13.47	13.51	13.36	13.38
Jan.	13.45	13.50	13.38	13.37
Feb.	....	....	....	13.38
March	13.53	13.57	13.44	13.44
May	13.58	13.62	13.50	13.51
June	....	....	....	13.50
July	13.59	....	....	13.48

Port Movement.

Galveston—Easy; middling 14 1-8; net receipts 15,612; gross receipts 15,612; sales 1,700; stock 40,181; France 93; coastwise 3,069.

New Orleans—Quiet; middling 14 1-4; sales 612; stock 23,386; Continent 50.

Mobile—Stead; middling 13 1-2; net receipts 12, gross receipts 12; sales 75; stock 678.

Savannah—Steady; middling 14 1-4; net receipts 765; gross receipts 765; sales 1,877; stock 7,659.

Charleston—Quiet; middling 14; net receipts 52; gross receipts 52; stock 345.

Wilmington—Nominal; sales 71; stock 88.

Norfolk—Nominal; middling 14 1-2; sales 4; stock 273.

Baltimore—Nominal; middling 15 1-2; stock 286.

New York—Quiet; middling 15.50; gross receipts 444; sales 892; stock 138,974; coastwise 418.

Boston—Quiet; middling 15.75 net receipts 40; gross receipts 580; stock 1,936.

Philadelphia Quiet; middling 15.75; stock 445.

Total today, at all ports—Net 14,481; France 93; Continent 50; stock 215,829.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net 71,344; Gt. Britain 17,274; France 82,355; Continent 25,240.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net 14,481; France 93; Continent 50.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady; middling 14; net receipts 11,781; gross receipts 11,781; shipments 11,700; sales 7,069; stock 24,252.

Augusta—Quiet; middling 14 1-2; net receipts 44; gross receipts 61; shipments 66; sales 20; stock 813.

Memphis—Quiet; middling 14 5-8; net receipts 5; gross receipts 18; shipments 11; stock 4,921.

St. Louis—Quiet; middling 15; gross receipts 388; shipments 388; stock 630.

Cincinnati—Stock 6,671.

Little Rock—Quiet; middling 14 1-2; net receipts 19; gross receipts 19; shipments 21; stock 2,248.

Louisville—Firm; middling 15 1-8.

Total today—Net receipts 11,849; gross receipts 12,265; shipments 12,186; sales 7,089; stock 39,555.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot in Better Demand, Prices Five Points Higher.

Liverpool, Sept. 1.—Closing spot cotton in better demand and business improved; prices five points higher. American middling fair 8.47; good middling 8.17; middling 8.03; low middling 7.93; good ordinary 7.67; ordinary 7.42. The sales of the day were 16,000 bales, of which 4,000 were for speculation and export and included 15,700 American. Receipts 1,400 bales all American.

Futures opened quiet and closed steady. September 7.69; September and October 7.35; October and November 7.19 1-2; November and December 7.12 1-2; December and January 7.09 1-2; January and February 7.09; February and March 7.09; March and April 7.09; April and May 7.09; May and June 1.09.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Sept. 1.—Dry goods commission houses did as good trade without of town jobbers in bleached goods and prints for prompt delivery today, and received a number of orders for brown sheetings that the mills declined to accept. A fair amount of narrow gray goods was sold at full prices and prices held firm. There was more business done in raw silk but prices were heavy.

A Reliable Medicine—Not a Narcotic.

Foley's Honey and Tar is a safe and effective medicine for children as it does not contain opiates or harmful drugs. Get only the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package.—Robt. R. Bellamy.

MARINE

ARRIVED.

Str. Carib, Hale, Georgetown, S. C., H. G. Smallbones.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Port Ingles (Br.) 1,169 tons, Jamison, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Massachusetts, 4... tons, Colerdale, C. D. Mafflitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 1, 1910.

C. C. Railroad—Barrels rosin 48; barrels tar 23; barrels crude turpentine 17.

W. & W. Railroad—Barrels crude turpentine 2.

W. C. & A. Railroad—Casks spirits turpentine 4; barrels rosin 27; barrels tar 4; barrels crude turpentine 11.

W. & N. Railroad—Casks spirits turpentine 17; barrels rosin 2; barrels crude turpentine 3.

Alice—Barrels crude turpentine 15.

Total—Casks spirits turpentine 21; barrels rosin 77; barrels tar 29; barrels crude turpentine 48.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Sept. 1.—Flour steady.
Rye Flour and Barley—Steady.
Corn Meal—Barely steady.
Rye—Dull.

Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red 1.06 1-2 elevator and 1.07 3-4 f.o.b.; new No. 1 northern Duluth 1.22 7-8 f.o.b. to arrive. Futures generally lower; options partly 1-4c net lower September 1.06 5-8; December 1.10 1-2; May 1.15.

Corn—Spot steady; No. 2, 67 1-2 elevator domestic basis. Futures market without transactions, options 1-8c lower to 1-2c net higher. September 67 7-8; December 66 1-2.

Oats—Spot firm, new standard white 38 12; new No. 2 white 39. Futures market was without transactions closing partly 1-2c net higher.

Pork—Steady.
Cut Meats—Dull.
Beef and Tallow—Firm.
Lard—Easy.
Petroleum and Rice—Steady.
Molasses—Dull.

Sugar—Raw steady; Muscovoda 89 test 3.92; centrifugal 96 test 4.42; molasses sugar 89 test 3.67. Refined—Steady.

Potatoes—Steady; 1.50 to 2.00 per barrel.

Cabbages—Quiet, unchanged.

Freights and Peanuts—Unchanged.

Coffee—Futures opened firm at an advance of 5 to 16 points; closed steady at a net gain of 10 to 20 points. Spot firm, Rio No. 7, 10 to 10 1-4; Santos No. 4, 10 7-8. Mild—Firm; Cordova 10 1-2 to 13.

Butter—Steady, unchanged.

Eggs—Firmer; State, Pennsylvania and nearby hennery white 28 to 33; gathered white 26 to 30; hennery brown 28 to 30; gathered brown 25 to 28; fresh gathered extra first 24 1-2 to 25 1-2; first 22 1-2 to 23 1-2; second 21 to 22.

Cheese—Firm, unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Firm on near positions, but recovering while late months declined under liquidation. The close was irregular at 4 points decline to 19 advance. Sales 12,100 barrels. September 10.35 to 10.38; October 8.81 to 8.82; November 7.58 to 7.60; December 7.32 to 7.33; January 7.31 to 7.33; Prime crude October 6.80 nominal; prime summer yellow 10.33 to 12.00; prime winter yellow 11.50 to 14.00; prime summer white 10.80 to 12.00.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Sept. 1st.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady 70 cents.

ROSIN—Market steady $5.10 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Market firm $2.50 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market, firm $4.00 per barrel for hard; $5.25 for dip and $5.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm 44c; rosin firm $2.55; tar steady $1.90; crude turpentine firm $1.75, $2.75 and $3.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	21
Rosin	77
Tar	29
Crude turpentine	48

Receipts same day last year 16 casks spirits turpentine; — barrels rosin; 84 barrels tar; 27 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market nominal. Quotations corresponding day last year nominal.

Receipts—bales same day last year 122 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith Aug. 27th.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, No. 1 $1.20 to $1.25 per bushel.
CORN—Firm 85 to 90 per bushel.
N. C. HAMS—Dull; hams 20; shoulders and side 17c.
EGGS—Good demand 23 cents.
CHICKENS—Spring 15 and 30; grown 40, scarce.
BEESEWAX—Firm 27c.
TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2 to 5c per pound.
SWEET POTATOES—Firm at $1.40 per bushel.
HIDES—Dr. flint 13c; green 7c per pound
WOOL—Burr 12 to 15c; free of burr 18 to 20c.
GEESE—Out of Season.
PORK—Out of Season.
SHEEP—Grown $1.00 to $2.50.
LAMBS—Good demand $1.50 to $3.00.
PEAS—Out of Season.
IRISH POTATOES—New crop 40 to 50c per bushel, dull.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Sept. 1.—Money on call steady; highest 2 per cent., lowest 1 3-4, ruling rate 1 3-4, last loan 1 7-8, closing bid 1 7-8, offered at 1 7-8. Time loans dull and firm, 60 days 3 3-4 per cent., and 90 days 4 to 4 1-4 per cent. six months 4 3-4 to 5 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5 1-2 to 6 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8330 to 4.8350 for 60 day bills and at 4.8635 for demand. Commercial bills 4.83 to 4.83 3-8. Bar silver 52 7-8. Mexican dollars 44.

Peanuts.

(Reorted by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Spanish market quiet at $1.30 per bushel; Virginia, market quiet at 4 1-2 to 4 3-4 for Jumbo; 3 1-2 to 3 3-4 for fancy picked; 1 1-2 to 3 for machine picked; 2 to 2 3-4 for shelling stock.

Your kidney trouble may be of long standing, it may be either acute or chronic, but whatever it is Foley's Kidney Remedy will aid you to get rid of it quickly and restore your natural health and vigor. "One bottle of Foley's Kidney Remedy made me well," said J. Sibbull, of Grand View, Wis. Commence taking it now. Robt. R. Bellamy.

RENEWED ACTIVITY IN STOCKS

Reading, Union Pacific and Steel Figured on Market—Effect of Address on "Special Interests."

New York, Sept. 1.—The amount of business done in the stock market today was swelled considerably over yesterday's total. The first hour's dealings, in fact, crossed the day's total of yesterday. This increase in activity by no means brought the dealings into a state of animation.

The overwhelming preponderance of the transactions in Reading, Union Pacific and United States Steel showed the professional character of the market and how little changed it was in that respect. The entire stagnation of demand for securities in itself serves as encouragement to attack by the bears in the speculation.

Col. Roosevelt's address in Kansas yesterday in its militant attitude against the "special interests" was a subject of professional apprehension on the part of sellers of stocks. The contents of this address were known and were available for analysis while the stock market was stagnant yesterday, but it was used nevertheless, as a means of reviving uneasiness over the political prospect, including proposed further tariff revision and intended agitation against corporations. The fact that petitions for increased freight charges are to be acted upon by the interstate Commerce Commission after the conclusion of the hearings now in progress and the fear that the contest against the proposed increases may be encouraged and strengthened by the course of the political campaign entered into the speculative sentiment of the day. The subject derived added importance from the heavy increases in operating expenses for July disclosed by the reports of railroad earnings for that period. The great lines both East and West are showing July expenses expanded in larger degree than the growth in gross earnings the result being a general decline in net earnings compared with last year.

Bonds were easy. Total sales par value $1,476,000. U. S. bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales today 403,200 shares, including American Smelting and Refining 9,300; Amalgamated Copper 17,000; Chesapeake & Ohio 2,200; U. S. Steel 86,500; Reading 102,800; V. C. C. 100; Union Pacific 71,300; Southern Pacific 15,500.

New York Bonds.

U. S. ref. 2s, registered	101
U. S. ref. 2s, coupon	101
U. S. 3d registered	101 3-4
U. S. 3s coupon	101 3-4
U. S. 4s, registered	115 1-8
U. S. 4s, coupon	115 1-8
Allis-Chalmers, 1st 5s	76
American Agricultural 5s	101
American Tel. & Tel. cv. 4s	100 1-2
American Tobacco 4s	78 3-4
American Tobacco 6s	105 3-4
Armour & Co., 4 1-2s	92 1-2
Atchison gen. 4s	98 1-4
Atchison cv. 4s	106
Atchison cv. 5s	108 3-4
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	93 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	90
Baltimore & Ohio 3 1-2s	83
Baltimore & Ohio S. W. 3 1-2s	89 1-2
Brooklyn Transit cv. 4s	82 1-4
Central of Georgia 5s	105
Central Leather 5s	98 1-2
Central R. R. of N. J. gen. 5s	121 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio 4 1-2s	100 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio ref. 4 1-2s	92 3-4
Chicago & Alton 3 1-2s	69
Chicago, B. & Quincy joint 4s	95 5-8
Chicago, B. & Quincy gen. 4s	97
Chicago, Mil. & St. P. Gen. 4s	94 1-2
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. R. R. col. 4s	73 3 8
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. Ry. rfg. 4s	89
Colorado Industrial 5s	75
Colorado Midland 4s	69
Colorado & So. ref. & ext. 4 1 2s	96
Delaware & Hudson cv. 4s	96 3-4
Denver & Rio Grande 4s	92 3-4
Denver & Rio Grande ref. 5s	91 3-8
Distillers 5s	68 3-4
Erie prior lien 4s	82 1-8
Erie gen. 4s	71
Erie cv. 4s series "A"	68
Erie cv. 4s series "B"	63
General Electric cv. 5s	135
Illinois Central 1st ref. 4s	96
Interborough-Met. 4 1-2s	78 3-4
Inter. Merc. Marine 4 1-2s	82 1-4
Japan 4s	88 1-2
Japan 4 1-2s	94 1-4
Kansas City Southern 1st 3s	72
Lake Shore deb. 4s (1931)	97 1-2
Louisville & Nash. Un. 4s	97 5 8
Missouri, Kan. & Texas 1st 4s	97
Mo., Kan. & Texas gen. 4 1-2s	84 3-4
Missouri Pacific 4s	77
National Rys. of Mexico 4 1-2s	95
New York Central gen. 3 1-2s	88
New York Central deb. 4s	94 5-8
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford cv. 6s	132 1-4
Norfolk & Western 1st con. 4s	97 1 2
Norfolk & Western cv. 4s	98
Northern Pacific 4s	100 1 2
Northern Pacific 3s	71 1-8
Oregon Short Line rfdg 4s	92 1-2
Penn. cv. 3 1-2s (1915)	96
Penn. con. 4s	102
Reading gen. 4s	98
St. Louis & San Fran. fg. 4s	80 1-4
St. Louis & San Fran. gen. 5s	86 5-8
St. Louis S'western con. 4s	73
St. Louis S'western 1st gold 4s	89 1-4
Seaboard Air Line 5s	69 1-2
Southern Pacific col. 4s	90
Southern Pacific cv. 4s	97
Southern Pacific R. R. 1st ref. 4s	93 7-8
Southern Railway 5s	104 3-4
Southern Railway gen. 4s	73
Union Pacific 4s	100 3-4
Union Pacific cv. 4s	104 3-8
Union Pacific 1st and ref. 4s	96
U. S. Rubber 6s	102
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	103 5-8
Virginia Car. Chemical 5s	99 1-4
Wabash 1st 5s	108
Wabash 1st and ext. 4s	93 1-2
Western Md. 4s	83 1-2
Westinghouse Electric cv. 5s	88
Wisconsin Central 4s	92 1-4
Missouri Pacific cv. 5s	92

Closing Stock List.

Allis Chalmers pfd.	36
Amalgamated Copper	63 1-4
American Agricultural	43 3-4
American Beet Sugar	35 5-8
American Can	8 1-4
American Car & Foundry	47
American Cotton Oil	61 1-2
American Hide & Leather pfd.	28
American Ice Securities	19
American Linseed	11 3 4
American Locomotive	34 5 8
American Smelting & Refng	66 5-8
Amer. Smelting & Refining pfd.	103
Am. Steel Foundries	42 3-4
American Sugar Refining	117 7-8
American Tel. & Tel.	135
American Tobacco, pfd.	92 1-2
American Woolen	27 1-8
Anaconda Mining Co.	39 1-4
Atchison	90 1-2
Atchison pfd.	99 1-4
Atlantic Coast Line	110
Baltimore & Ohio	102 1-8
Bethlehem Steel	26 1-2
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	73 1-4
Canadian Pacific	193 3-8
Central Leather	33 3-4
Central Leather pfd.	105 1-2
Central of New Jersey	300
Chesapeake & Ohio	72 3-4
Chicago & Alton	29 1-2
Chicago Great Western	22
Chicago Great Western pfd.	43
Chicago & North Western	142 1-2
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	117 3-4
C. C. C. & St. Louis	75
Colorado Fuel & Iron	29
Colorado & Southern	53
Consolidated Gas	128 1-2
Corn Products	13 1-2
Delaware & Hudson	168
Denver & Rio Grande	29 1-4
Denver & Rio Grande pfd.	70 1-4
Distillers' Securities	26 7-8
Erie	24 1-2
Erie 1st pfd.	41 1-2
Erie 2nd pfd.	30 1-4
General Electric	143 1-2
Great Northern pfd.	122
Great Northern Ore ctfs.	53
Illinois Cntral	128
Interborough-Met.	18
Interborough-Met. pfd.	48
Inter Harvester	95
Inter-Marine pfd.	15 5-8
International Paper	10 1-2
International Pump	28 3-4
Iowa Central	16 1-2
Kansas City Southern	27 3-4
Kansas City Southern pfd.	62 1-4
Laclede Gas	90
Louisville & Nashville	142
Minneapolis & St. Louis	23
Minn., St. P. & Sault St. M.	128
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	30 3-4
Missouri, Kansas & Texas pfd.	61
Missouri Pacific	52
National Biscuit	112
National Lead	51
Nat'l Rys. of Mexico 2d pfd.	30 5-8
New York Central	109 3-4
New York, Ontario & Western	29 1-2
Norfolk & Western	95 1-2
North American	66 7-8
Northern Pacific	113 1-8
Pacific Mail	25 1-2
Pennsylvania	127 1-4
People's Gas	106
Pittsburg, C. C. & St. Louis	94
Pittsburg Coal	16
Pressed Steel Car	33 3-4
Pullman Palace Car	158
Railway Steel Spring	34
Reading	139 1-8
Republic Steel	29 1-2
Republic Steel pfd.	95
Rock Island Co.	29
Rock Island Co. pfd.	63
St. Louis & San Fran. 2d pfd.	39
St. Louis Southwestern	27 1-2
St. Louis Southwestern pfd.	57
Sloss Sheffield Steel and Iron	55
Southern Pacific	112 1-2
Southern Railway	22 1-8
Southern Railway pfd.	50 1-2
Tennessee Copper	23 5-8
Texas & Pacific	25 3-4
Toledo, St. Louis & West	22 1-4
Toledo, St. Louis & West. pfd.	48 1-2
Union Pacific	164 3-4
Union Pacific pfd.	91
United Steel Realty	70
United States Rubber	33 1-2
United States Steel	67 1-8
United Sttaes Steel pfd.	116
Utah Copper	45 1-4
Virginia Carolina Chemical	56 1-2
Wabash	16 3-4
Wabash pfd.	35 1-4
Western Maryland	42
Westinghouse Electric	61
Western Union	61
Wheeling & Lake Erie	4

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Sept. 1—In the monthly settlement today, more than two a quarter million bushels of wheat were delivered to commission traders, many of whom proceeded to resell in the pit. Such a heavy load forced the September option to the largest discount at any time this season, 102 1-4 below May and left the market as a whole at net decline of 1-4 to 5-8. Corn closed 1-4 lower to 3-8 higher, oats 1-8 to 1 1-8 up and hog products down 5 to 17 1-2.

Cash grain close: Wheat No. 1 red 100 1-4 to 101 1-4; No. red 99 3-4 to 101; No. 3 red 96 1-2 to 99; No. 1 hard 100 1-4 to 101 1-2; No. 2 hard 99 1-4 to 104 1-2; No. 3 hard 96 1-2 to 99 1-2; No. 1 Northern 115 to 117; No. 2 Northern 110 to 114; No. 2 spring 101 to 105; No. 3 spring 99 to 104; velvet chaff 98 1-2 to 100 1-2; durum 87 to 98.

Corn No. 2 39 1-2; No. 2 white 39 1-2 to 39 3-4; No. 3 39; No. 3 white 39 to 39 1-2; No. 3 yellow 39 to 39 1-2; No. 4 37 to 38 1-2; No. 4 white 38 to 39; No. 4 yellow 38 1-2 to 39.

Oats, No. 2 30 1-2; No. 2 white 33 3-4 to 34 3-4; No. 3 white 32 3-4 to 33 3-4; No. 4 white 31 1-2 to 32; standard 33 1-2 to 34.

Wheat—				
Sept.	99¾	99½	98½	98⅝
Dec.	1 03⅝	1 03	1 01¾	1 03½
May	1 09⅝	1 09⅝	1 08¼	1 09⅝
Corn—				
Sept.	58½	59¼	58¾	59⅜
Dec.	57⅝	58⅛	57⅝	57⅝
May	60	60⅝	59⅝	60¼
Mess Pork, per bbl—				
Sept.	21 15	21 45	21 02½	21 02½
Oct.	20 90	20 90	20 77½	20 80
Jan.	18 67½	18 70	18 50	18 50
Lard, per 100 lbs.				
Sept.	11 92½	12 05	11 92½	11 95
Oct.	12 02½	12 10	11 97½	12 02½
Nov.	11 70	11 70	11 62½	11 62½
Jan.	10 70	10 72½	10 60	10 62½
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.				
Sept.	12 25	12 37½	12 12½	12 15
Oct.	12 00	12 07½	11 90	11 92½
Jan.	9 72½	9 75	9 67½	9 67½

211 576

SOUTH'S MARKETS CONTROL.

Cotton Situation and Features of Day —Rains Fell in Texas.

(Special Star Telegram.)

New York, Sept. 1.—Light rains fell in southwest Texas last night, not enough, but that the offerings of cotton from Texas over night to the east brought shipments on a delivery basis with September delivery here and spot houses have been selling all day. This pressure was continuous. It will be arrested when the South stops selling or the spinners commence buying freely. As we said two days ago the market has passed under the control of the Southern spot markets.

The distant deliveries were fairly steady at a moderate decline in sympathy with the near positions. It was thought the bull pool were buying September on the break. We will continue to be affected by the spot offerings, though we should rally before the bureau.

HUBBARD BROS. & C. ..

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Sept. 1.—Rosin and turpentine steady.

Savannah, Ga., Sept. 1.—Spirits turpentine firm; sales 591; receipts turpentine; shipments 127; stocks 14,077.

Rosin firm; receipts 3,011; shipments 3,772; stocks 66,546; sales 1,571. Quote: B, 5.80; D, 5.85 to 5.90; E, 6.00; F, 6.05 to 6.07 1-2; G, 6.05 to 6.10; H, 6.10 to 6.15; I, 6.05 to 6.07 1-2; K, 6.20; M, 6.50; N, 6.25 to 6.75; WG, 6.30 to 6.90; WW, 7.00.

Charleston, S. C., Sept. 1.—Turpentine quiet 70 3-4. Sales forty. Rosin quiet; sales 60.

ABC, 5.65 to 76; D, 5.70 to 85; E, 5.80 to 6.05; F, 5.80 to 6.05; G, 5.90 to 6.10; H, 6.00 to 6.15; I, 6.00 to 6.17 1-2; K, 6.00 to 6.20; M, 6.22 1-2 to 26; N, 6.25 to 75; WG, 6.30; WW, 7.00.

CENSUS OF NEW YORK CITIES.

Population of Four Are Given—Brooklyn and Elmira.

Washington, Sept. 1.—The population of Brooklyn, N. Y., is 1,634,361 an increase of 467,769 or 40.1 per cent., as compared with 1,166,582 in 1900; of Elmira, N. Y., is 37,176 an increase of 1,504 or 4.2 per cent., as compared with 35,672 in 1900; of Yonkers, N. Y., is 79,803, an increase of 31,872 or 66.5 per cent., as compared with 47,931 in 1900; of Jamestown, N. Y., is 31,297 an increase of 8,405 or 36.7 per cent., as compared with 22,892 in 1900.

DAY'S SHOOT BROKE RECORD.

G. R. Graham, of Illinois, Got 471 Straight at Handicap.

Chicago, Sept. 1.—Gray R. Graham, of Long Lake, Ill., broke the world's amateur record today when he went out with 471 straight at the day's shoot of the Chicago handicap tournament.

The former amateur mark was 366, held by O'Connell, of San Antonio, Texas, and made recently in a registered Texas shoot.

AT WASHINGTON, N. C.

Places for Agricultural Fair—Tobac

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Washington, N. C., Sept. 1.—The preliminary plans for Washington's Agricultural Fair are almost perfected and from present indications the approaching fair will prove a great success. The agricultural fair committee together with the other committee appointed by the Chamber of Commerce to assist them in soliciting subscriptions from the different citizens for the benefit of the fair, report a liberal response, and already something over 60 prizes have been assured.

Washington's tobacco market is proving a great success and the daily sales are averaging from five to eight and ten thousand pounds of tobacco daily, at the local warehouse. Farmers are bringing their tobacco to this city from all over the adjoining counties as well as Beaufort and seem well pleased with the good prices.

Reports coming to the city from farmers throughout the county state that the recent heavy rains are doing considerable damage to crops and unless the rains hold up very soon the cotton crop will be very much damaged.

A very bold robbery was perpetrated in this city in broad daylight yesterday when the safe of Mr. Geo. A. Phillips & Bro., in their office on Main street, in the heart of the business section, was entered during the noon hour and a box containing several valuable papers stolen. There was no one in the office at the time but Mr. Phillips suspicioned a colored boy who had been seen loitering around during the morning, and went to that boy's father whose name was Washington and told him if the papers were returned he would not prosecute the boy. About 7 o'clock the father of the boy returned the box containing all the papers.

White Mountain REFRIGERATORS

are strong, durable and sanitary. Having a removable ice chamber with duplex grate and removable waste pipe makes it easier to keep clean than any refrigerator made.

Several styles to select from.

J. W. MURCHISON & CO.
Hardware.

Car Load of Rye

either for seed or feed, just arrived, and for sale by

D. L. Core Co.
Wholesale Grocers and Importers.

au 23 tf

Make Your Wife Happy

If she gets our fat Spring Chickens, or fancy Lamb, Veal, Mutton or Beef, she will be all smiles. Nothing but the best and prompt service. Our Hams and Bacon are still the leaders. Fresh Eggs and Spring Vegetables.

HOPKINS & DAVIS
FRONT STREET MARKET.
Stalls Nos. 1 and 2 North Side.
Stalls Nos. 1 and 3 South Side.
Phones 128 and 141.

aug 27-tf

HELLO CENTRAL! GIVE US EVERYBODY

Our Odds and Ends Values

in Misses and Children's Oxfords are very attractive to those who want low shoes to finish the season with.

MISSES' AND CHILDRENS'

One lot patents, tans and vici kid, were $1.50, now 98c
One lot tan Pumps and patent Oxfords, were $2.00, now $1.39
One lot patent and tan Oxfords, were $1.75, now $1.19
One lot white Canvas Oxfords, were 75c, now 39c
One lot white canvas Oxfords, were $1.25, now 59c
One lot tan, patent, and gun metal Shniffert, were $1.95, now 98c

LADIES' OXFORDS.

One lot large Misses' tan Oxfords, were $2.00, now $1.39
One lot Ladies' soveral styles, black, were $3.00, now $1.45
One lot several styles, black and tan, were $3.00, now $1.98
One lot patent and gun metal Oxfords, were $3.00, now $2.48

MEN'S OXFORDS.

One lot gun metal and patent, were $4.00, now $2.49

Come early, before they are picked out.

HEWLETT & PRICE

au 21 tf

Panama Hats!

Half Price at J. W. H. Fuchs, Head-to-Foot Outfitter.

Stiff Straw Hats half price.
Soft Straw Hats half price,
Trunks one-third off
Suit Cases and Hand Bags one-third off.
Straw Bags and Straw Suit Cases one-third off.
In our Shoe Department, bargains galore.
The great Anniversary Sale is a success.
Come and be convinced.

J. W. H. FUCHS
128 to 134 South Front Street.

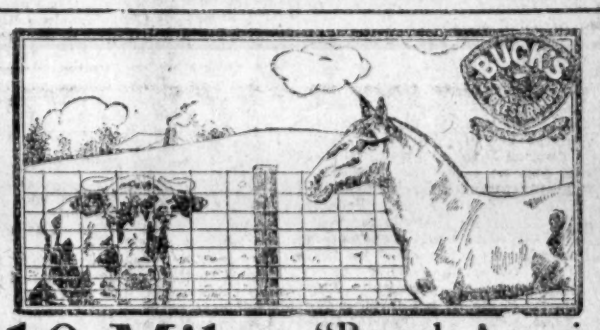
au 21 tf

Special Prices

On the Following For 10 Days:

25 Crates Lemons.	25 Baskets Broken Mixed Candy
50 Cases Walker's Grape Juice.	100 Boxes Perfectos, 5c Cigars.
50 Barrels Mott's Cider.	150 Dozen 1-quart Fruit Jars.
25 Cases Penny Candy.	100 Dozen 2-quart Fruit Jars.
25 Pails North State Kisses.	500 Barrels Patent Flour.
25 Pails American Ices.	1,500 Sacks Rice, all grades.

J. W. BROOKS
Wholesale Grocer.
Wilmington, N. C.



10 Miles "Royal American Field Fence"

Just Arrived, Can furnish any height or stays desired. This Fence is the strongest and most durable manufactured.

WRITE US FOR PRICES.

WM. E. SPRINGER & CO.

LATEST AND BEST SELLING BOOKS

The Butterfly Man, by Geo. Barr McCutcheon.
The Green Mouse, by Robert W. Chambers.
The Running Fight, by William H. Osborne.
The Fortune Hunter, by Louis J. Vance.
Tower of Ivory, by Gertrude Atherton.
The Rosary, by Florence L. Barclay.
Lady Merton, Colonist, by Mrs. Humphrey Ward.
Foppy, by Cynthia Stockley.
Love the Judge, by Wymond Carey.
Cavanaugh, Forest Ranger, by Hamline Garland.

ROBERT C. DeROSSET
Bookseller & Stationer.

THE WEATHER

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 1, 1910.

Meterological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Thursday, Sept. 1st:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 77 degrees; 8 P. M. 77 degrees; maximum 86 degrees; minimum 73 degrees; mean 80 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .05; for the month, .05 inch.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Thursday 8.7 feet.

Weather Forecast.

North Carolina—Partly cloudy Friday and Saturday with probably local showers, light to moderate variable winds.

Port Calendar—Sept 2.

Sun Rises.....5:46 A. M.
Sun Sets.....6:37 P. M.
Day's Length.....12 hrs. 51 min.
High water at Southport 7:19 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 10:19 P. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Uncle Charles—Pawn Broker.
J. W. Fleet Co.—Clothing Styles.

Business Locals.

Wright's—An Opportunity.
For Sale.—Portable House.
Mrs. Price—House For Rent.
Lingo Box Co.—Horse Wanted.
Young Man—Wants Clerical Position.
Wright's—Now is the Appointed Time.
M. C. Darby & Co.—Established Boarding House.

ROOSEVELT SPENT DAY IN MISSOURI

(Continued From Page One.)

to sleep there.

"The lion, with its queer, sinister intelligence, saw that the man was asleep. It came up on the platform, pulled the sliding door open with its paw and went in. The German was awakened by the weight of the lion's hind legs on him. The fore legs of the lion were on the Englishman and the lion had the man's head in his mouth.

"The German shouted and awakened the Italian who leaped up and jumped on the lion's back. He jumped off again and ran to the other end of the car. The lion had his man and only wanted to get away with him. It smashed its way through a window dragging the Englishman with him, and all through the night the German and the Italian could hear the dreadful purring of the lion as it ate the Englishman."

Col. Roosevelt's speech in Convention Hall tonight was his principal address of the day.

18,000 people stood up, cheered, screamed, waved handkerchiefs as Mr. Rosevelt came on the platform. Two thousand people were turned away.

Governor Hadley appearing shortly after the colonel was at once recognized and was given equally enthusiastic greeting by the people.

President Wm. T. Bland, of the Kansas City Commercial Club, then introduced him with glowing encomiums. He declared that the welcome being given Roosevelt, the man, was warmer than which several years ago had been given him as President.

"The American people owe nothing to a man who has been President of the United States compared to what he owes the American people," declared Mr Roosevelt, referring to the words of the speaker who had presented him. The colonel spoke of corruption in New York, Missouri, Illinois and California and said that the duty of the people was to war with equal sternness against the corrupt man of great wealth and the small man who makes a trade of corruption.

"We need laws which shall put the corporation out of business, so far as concerns corrupting the servants of the people," he said.

At another point in his speech he asserted: "The people of this country will get justice from the corporations only if they do justice to them and rigidly exact it from them."

Spoke on Honesty.

"There are certain matters which should never be treated as party matters; and foremost among these is the great and vital virtue of honesty Honesty should be treated as a prime necessity to our success as a nation. The minute that a question of honesty as against dishonesty in involved then we must all act together as Americans, without the slightest regard to party affiliations. Honesty is not a party matter; and the first man to attack a scoundrel of any party should be the honest man of that party. When in office, I always proceeded upon the theory that there would be no need of my opponents raising the cry of "Turn the rascals out," because I would turn them out myself just as soon as, by vigilant and intelligent industry, I could discover them. The present Senator Bristow, for instance, was in the Post-office Department when information reached me which convinced me that there was extensive rascality being practiced in the Department. This information came to me through the then First Assistant Postmaster General, Mr. Wynne—an admirable man whose honesty I knew to be beyond proof. The active work of the investigation was done by another post-office official in whose honesty, courage, and energy I had absolute confidence—the present Senator Bristow. When he got through I knew that all the rascals whose rascality could be detected were out of office and that all of them that had committed acts which we could proceed against as criminal were indicted or imprisoned. As we dealt with the crooked public official, so we dealt with the crooked private citizen; with the rich swindler in New York or Chicago as with the horse-thief or homicide in Indian Territory. We never attacked a man because he was a man of one political faith or another, because he did or did not possess wealth: and we never shielded him because he was poor or rich, because he belonged to any particular church or to any particular party. But I also wish you especially to remember that we never hesitated to shield him and stand up for him once we were convinced that he was improperly attacked. There is no greater foe of honesty than the man who, for any reason, in any capacity, attacks, or seeks to attack, an honest man for a crime which he has not committed. Falsely accusing an honest man of dishonesty is an act which stands on the same level of infamy with that of the dishonest man himself; and it is no higher duty to attack the dishonest man than it is to exonerate the honest man falsely accused; and I should be ashamed to hesitate the fraction of a second longer in one case than in the other.

Remember that honesty cannot be unilateral. Good citizens should cordially distrust the man who can never see dishonesty excepting in men of the class he dislikes. The reckless agitator who invariably singles out men of wealth as furnishing the only examples of dishonesty; and the qualely unscrupulous—but no more unscrupulous—reactionary who can see dishonesty only in a blackmailing politician or a crooked labor leader; both stand on the same plane of obnoxiousness. You will never get honesty from politicians until you exact honesty from business men; on the other hand, you brand yourselves as fools or as hypocrites if you say that the corporation owner, or the employer, is always the dishonest man, and the poor man never, that it is only the wealthy men who corrupts the politician and never the politician who blackmails the corporation.

"Any man in his senses knows that there are plenty of corporations in this country who prosper by bribing legislatures just as they prosper by swindling the public; and any man in his senses ought to know, in addition, that there are plenty of corrupt men of small means who, in legislative or other bodies, try to blackmail corporations—and try to blackmail other people as well. If they doubt this, let them look at the revelations of corruption in my own State—New York—and in yours, my hearers—here in Missouri; let them look at what has occurred in California and what has occurred in Illinois. In Illinois, for instance, one of the rascalities developed by the recent investigation was the existence of a combination of legislators who blackmailed fishermen along a certain river, forcing them to pay to prevent legislation which would have interfered with their business.

"Now, scoundrels who do these kinds of things are, of course, the very men who, on the one hand, will cheerfully, if the chance occurs, sell themselves to that corporation against the interests of the public. Their corruption is no more due to the action of the corporations than the corruption of the corporation is due to their action; and evil, and not good, is done by the honest but misguided man who would persuade you that either fact is true. Our duty is to war with equal sternness against the corrupt man of great wealth and the small man who makes a trade of corruption; our fight is against both the swindling corporation and the blackmailing or bribe-taking politician.

"We cannot afford to limit a campaign against corruption to those who happen to have a certain social status. We need laws which shall put the corporation out of business, so far as concerns corrupting the servants of the public. I believe that the great issue now before the people is the doing away with special privilege in all forms; doing away with the power of the big corporation to control legislation in its interests and to interfere in politics in order to secure privileges to which it is not entitled. But I regard the essential factor in this campaign as being an aroused civic conscience which will unsparingly condemn dishonesty in every form, and in every man, high or low. The wreckless, would-be reformer, who, in speaking or writing, seeks to persuade us that we need pay heed to corruption only when it shows itself in the rich man, is doing as great a moral wrong as the rich man whose low moral standard tends to lower the moral standard of the whole community. The people of this country will get justice from the corporations only if they both do justice to them and rigidly exact it from them. Unless they do justice to rich men, they put a premium upon injustice and dishonesty among rich men. Let us hold them to the strictest accountability for any wrong-doing; but let us insist upon honesty in our own ranks, no less than theirs; let us war on crookedness of every kind in the man of small means as well as the man of large means. Let us judge each man by his conduct, and not by his social or financial condition.

Call Him First Citizen.

As the guest of honor of the Kansas City Commercial Club, Theodore Roosevelt today drank a toast to the President; was himself toasted as the "first citizen of the United States," and listened to a rollicking song to the tune of "The Good Old Summer Time," which ran as follows:

"At next election time,
At next election time,
Roaming 'round the Woolly West,
Getting things in line,
For we like him and he likes us,
And that's a very good sign,
That he will be our President at next election time."

The colonel responded heartily to the toast to the President, but looked on statuesque as the references to himself were made.

A song, ending with the refrain "For he's insurgent through and through," Col. Roosevelt said could have been improved "in technical accuracy if the word 'progressive' had been substituted for the word 'insurgent.' Don't get the bridle off," said the colonel amid cheers. Three hundred men attended the luncheon and gave Col. Roosevelt a noisy welcome.

Before the guests were seated, former Rpresentative William S. Cowherd, who was tosatmaster, said:

"It is always the custom of the Commercial Club to drink the first toast to the President of the United States." Everyone joined in drinking the toast.

Among the guests were Governor Hadley, of Missouri; Governor Stubbs, of Kansas; Gifford Pinchot, James R. Garfield, Col. W. R. Mason, proprietor of the Kansas City Star; Senator Bristow and Representative of Kansas.

Talks on Rebating.

"When I began as President, the movement against rebates were universally demanded and given, the practice was so general that the fact of giving them and asking for them had become a partly conventional crime," said Col. Roosevelt.

"No one spoke of the giving of rebates as a crime and as that practice was freely indulged in by the great mass of people others were driven to commit the crime, having the alternative of being ruined by their competitors if they did not get them. The shippers demanded rebates of the railroads and the railroads granted rebates to certain shippers until they got in a net work of preferences from which they were unable to extricate themselves by any individual action on their part. After some difficulty, accompanied by the usual statement that I was ruining the business interest of the country we got the rebate practice definitely stopped.

"Of course, no great change of that kind has ever been made without incidental hardships being suffered by many good people. You can not make a change and not suffer from the dislocation. Some good people and some communities did suffer and I think that Kansas City was the community that for the time being suffered considerably. Kansas City had rebates that I think at times were as high as 35 per cent. and I was quite prepared for an outburst of dissatisfaction from Kansas City. But it is immensely to your credit that I received unanimous approval. Your people said that this change was right, and the thing ought to be done and that they were for it.

"I think it was as fine an exemplification as one could desire of the willingness of your people to squarely face a moral issue."

CURTISS FLIES LAKE AGAIN.

Aviator Goes 120 Miles in Two Days—Beats Railroad Train.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 1.—Racing with a fast lake shore mail train, Glenn H. Curtiss, the Hammondsport, N. Y., aviator, today drove his biplane over the water from Cedar Point to Euclid Beach an airline distance of 60 miles, completing an 120 mile round trip flight begun yesterday and establishing an unquestioned world's record for over-the-water flights. Incidentally he beat the train into Cleveland a full seventeen minutes.

Encountering contrary air currents, Curtiss was unable to maintain a high state of speed, taking one hour and 42 minutes for the flight. The actual distance traversed, estimated at the United States hydrographic office, was 64 3-4 miles.

A drizzling rain was falling when Curtiss gave the order for the starting of his motor. All morning weather conditions had been unpropitious and thousands of excursionists who had gathered at the point, had almost given up hope of seeing the flight. At noon, however, the aviator announced that he would make a trial flight, which he did, reaching an altitude of 500 feet which he maintained for eight minutes. He then determined to start on his sixty mile journey at 3:15 P. M., but when it was found that the train bearing Mrs. Curtiss would leave Sandusky a little earlier, he changed his mind and set out despite the rain.

He encountered considerable difficulty in navigating the treacherous currents above Lake Erie. The first ten miles were covered in 13 minutes. Off Cleveland Harbor the velocity of the breeze had diminished to 12 miles an hour, but it was unsteady and the 100,000 people lining the lake front and perched on top of every available building had an opportunity of judging the difficulty of air navigation under unfavorable conditions.

FIFTY-FIVE NEW LAWYERS.

Passed Supreme Court Examination. Four From New Hanover.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 1.—Fifty-five out of a class of 84 who took the examination Monday before the Supreme Court for license to practice law were successful. The list of licentiates follow:

William D. Elliott, Rochester, N. Y.; Walter C. Benson, New Hanover county; Chas. Hutchins, Yancey; Jno. Saintsing, Wake; Jos. McIville, Broughton, Wake; Carcey C. Buchanan, Jackson; Jno. K. Burnett, Pender; Jno. H. Clement, Davie; Percy C. Critcher, Martin; William C. Douglass, Durham; Ashby W. Dunn, Halifax; Franklin Edwards, Virginia; Leland B. Farnell, Onslow; Ralph H. Ferrall, Wake; William H. Hipps, Madison; Jno. S. Martin, Yadkin; Alfred M. McClean, Harnett; Blandus C. Mitchell, Franklin; Jno. A. Oates, Cumberland; Robert N. Parnell, Wake; Joseph M. Prevette, Wilkes; Chas. N. Redding, Randolph; John H. Royall, Wake; William M. Salmons, Yadkin; Gilbert T. Stevenson, Northampton; Thomas C. White, Alexander; Jos. W. Wood, Johnston; Claude V. Brown, Buncombe; James W. Currie, Mecklenburg; William Tregay, Wake; York Coleman, Buncombe; Roy K. Forehand, Chowan; Lovira W. Leggett, Halifax; Thurman Leatherwood, Swain; Jos. J. Loughlin, New Hanover; Silas Moore, Lincoln; Herman A. Gudger, Buncombe; Jessie F. Milliken, Chatham; Chas. W. Tillett, Jr., Mecklenburg; James I. Fulton, Forsythe; Jas. F. Spruill, Pamlico; Frederick I. Sutton, Lenoir; John M. Robinson, Wayne; Kenneth R. Ellington, Johnston; Louis J. Poisson, New Hanover; George F. Meares, New Hanover; Francis C. Hester, Wake; David Z Newton, Cleveland; Chas. B. Spicer, Wilkes; Romulus R. Rogers, Forsythe; Kemp D. Battle, Nash; Thos. J. Hill, Cherokee; Alfred S. Wylie, Guilford; Malvern H. Tillett, Pasquotank; John Lawrence Jones, Mecklenburg.

OFFICER STEPHENS RESIGNED.

Left "Equipment" at Hall When He Went Off Duty Yesterday.

"I want to leave my equipment here," said Patrolman G. E. Stephens to Assistant Chief of Police Woolard at the City Hall when he went off duty at 4:45 o'clock yesterday morning. Chief Woolard asked him what he wanted to do that for, to which the patrolman replied that he thought he would quit. So when Chief of Police N. J. Williams went to headquarters yesterday morning he found the big, 200-pounder's badge, whistle and club and heard an explanation of the officer's action in surrendering his "equipment." It will be recalled that the officer has been indicted in Justice Bornemann's court for assault on a negro man whom it is alleged that he clubbed on Second, between Princess and Chesnut streets, Tuesday night, without first making an arrest, and the hearing is set for tomorrow morning. The officer was arrested Wednesday on a warrant charging him with assault on the negro. It is presumed that the indictment had something to do with his sudden decision to quit the police force.

Try a Star Business Local.

LAWYERS NAME OFFICERS.

At American Bar Association Convention at Chattanooga.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Sept. 1.—At today's session of the American Bar Association's Convention the following officers were elected: President, Edgar H. Farrar, New Orleans; Secretary, George Whitlock, Baltimore; Treasurer, Frederick E. Wadhams, Albany; Assistant Secretary, Albert C. Ritchie, of Baltimore.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

KENYON PORTABLE Take-Down House 18x30; sectional floor, furniture complete. Bargain for cash. Friday and Saturday only. Don't leak. Mathews, Seashore Hotel, Beach. se-2-2t*

YOUNG MAN sober, industrious, with experience desires clerical position at once. Salary no objection, if chance for promotion. Best of references given. Address "D. K.," care Star. se-2-2t*

FOR RENT—Established boarding house northwest corner of Third and Market streets. Apply to M. C. Darby & Co., Real Estate and Renting Agency, 11 1-2 Princess street. se-2-3t

FOR RENT—October 1st, house, eight rooms, electric lights, bath and lavatory, deep back lot. Apply to Mrs. W. Price, 317 South Fifth. 'Pone 1891. se-2-1t

I WANT a horse between four and ten years old, weight about 900 to 1,000 and a light surry. Lingo Box Co. se-2-1t*

AN OPPORTUNITY to secure a fine lot in splendid location is here offered. Part of the Graffin property, macadam road, centrally located—near railroad offices. For terms and particulars see Wright's Real Estate Agency. Better than renting next year is to own your own home. se-2-1t.

NOW IS THE appointed time. We have a very attractive list of houses to offer prospective homeseekers. Call and look it over—tell us your wants. Wright's Real Estate Agency, 124 Princess street. se-2-1t.

FOR RENT—Family having large house, wishes to rent two spacious, newly furnished rooms. Bath, electric light, telephone, comfortable residence. Best table, private. Reference desired. "T. O." Morning Star. se-2-1t*

CIRCULAR SAW FILER wants position. Can come with best references. Address O. G. Rhodes, Folkstone, N. C. se-1-1w*

WANTED—Four or five unfurnished rooms on second floor for light housekeeping. 'Phone 752 or 1219. se-1-1w*

FOR RENT—One-half house, best location, South Third street, four rooms, kitchen, bath, telephone. Address "House," Box 815. se-1-1t.

FOR RENT—Part of power house building with frontage on Water and Orange streets; dock privileges; also second floor suitable for offices. Changes made to suit tenant. Further information will be given at office of Plate Ice Company, on premises. se-1-4t

FRESH MEATS TODAY—All kinds of vegetables and fruits. Pay cash and get your money's worth. Palace Market. 'Phone No. 72. se-1-1t.

WANTED.—Position as housekeeper at once, in the winter; reference J. W. Harper, Carolina Beach. Address Mrs. H. C. Pearsall, Carolina Beach. se-1-3t

WANTED—Three or four furnished rooms and bath with or without board; must be within walking distance of post-office; liberal remuneration for right location. Address J. B., care Star office. au-31 tf.

ENERGETIC YOUNG man wanted to solicit in city for fast seller. Can easily make $20 to $25 per week. Address "S," care Star. au-31-3t*

WE ARE NOW FIT and ready to do your horse-shoeing. Striking horses our specialty. Wilmington Carriage Works, 1103 Castle street, Chas. C. Hopkins, Manager, 'Phone 1019. au-30-tf

LARGE HALL FOR RENT, also store on wharf and offices on second floor, Princess street. Smith & Lord, agents. au 23 tf

BOARD IN WESTERN North Carolina. First class board in private family at Waynesville, N. C. For particulars address Mrs. N. J. Burt, Box 312, Waynesville, N. C. au 10 e od tf.

WANTED—Furnished apartment for light housekeeping by couple with no children; must be close in and have all conveniences. Address "D." care Star. au 23 tf

FOR SALE—The valuable property on Princess street formerly occupied by The Morning Star newspaper. Size of lot 58 1-4x66. Four floors, including basement. Opposite site of the new $500,000 Custom House. For details apply to Wm. H. Bernard. au 23 2t

DISCOUNTS AS FOLLOWS—20 Per Cent. on all Solid Gold and Sterling Silver Goods. 25 Per Cent. on Gold Filled and Plated Goods, Cut Glass and other articles. 30 Per cent. on handpainted and imported China goods. 40 Per Cent. on Vases and other odds and ends. Above discounts will positively close September 1st. J. T. Burke, the Jeweler, 27 South Front street. au 14 tf

ANNOUNCEMENT—Messrs. Foltz & Kendrick wish to announce that they have taken possession of the U. C. Ellis Studio. They have placed it in a perfectly sanitary condition, and are prepared to make the finest class of portrait work ever shown in Wilmington. ap 24 tf

DR. CHARLES T. HARPER—Practice limited to kidney, genito-urinary and rectal diseases. Offices 507-508 Southern Building, phone 1,166. ma 25 tf

RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS—Wanted in Wilmington. Examinations November 12, $800 to $1,000. Preparation free. Franklin Institute, Dept. 208-T. au-27-1mo*.

THE GILBERT HOUSE — Combines home comforts with hotel conveniences. Front and Princess streets, junction of all car lines. Electric lights and hot water. Table equals the best and rates reasonable. Transient $1.25 to $1.50 per day. Special rates to regular and table boarders. ma 20 tf.

WANTED TO BUY, residence well located, on or near car line. Seven rooms exclusive of kitchen, pantry and bath. One-story cottage preferred, with lot 60x165. Address "Home Comfort," care Star office.

SMITH & LORD—Insurance and real estate. 120 Princess street, 'phone 766. Give us a call. au 23 tf

FOR SALE—The best line of trunks and suit cases in the city. At Uncle Charley's Pawn Shop, 108 Market street. jul 31 tf

I WISH TO ANNOUNCE to my friends and the public generally that I am now located at 32 South Front street and am prepared to save them from 20 to 25 per cent. on clothing, hats, etc. L. W. Davis & Co. au 11 1m

THE MORE

You Realize

the extent of this establishment as a modern Jewelry Shop the more helpful it becomes to you—get acquainted!

It has Departments for Silverware, Cut Glass, Sterling Novelties, Watches, Clocks, Art Jewelry, Diamond Jewelry, Repairing and Optical Goods.

If not intimately acquainted with all of them we will be glad to show you around today.

A. O. SCHUSTER
JEWELER
104 North Front Street.
jul 23 tf

TO THE PUBLIC.

Auction Sale of Bankrupt Stock of Goods.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, who was appointed trustees of the estate of Ed. N. Penny, Inc., bankrupt, will expose for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, on Saturday, the 10th day of September, 1910, commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and continuing from day to day until finally disposed of, either as a whole, or in separate lots, the entire stock of goods, wares and merchandise and fixtures in my hands, as said Trusee, belongingto the estate of said bankrupt and now located in that store building known as No. 28 South Front street Wilmington, North Carolina; said sale to take place in said building.

This September 1, 1910.

JOS. W. LITTLE, Trustee.

se-1-10t

UNITED CONFEDERATE VETERANS' REUNION OF NORTH CAROLINA, NORFOLK, VA., TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6TH.

Very low round trip rates via Seaboard Air Line Railway. Tickets on sale September 4, 5, 6. Good returning any day up to Sept. 14th, 1910. For full information call on your agent or address the undersigned.

C. B. RYAN, G. P. A.
Portsmouth, Va.
H. S. LEARD, D. P. A.
Raleigh, N. C. se 1-5t.

OFFICE OF STREET COMMISSION.

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the Street Commission at City Hall, until Friday, Sept. 9th, at 3 P. M., and then publicly opened, for the grading of Hanover street from Fourth to Water street, and for building the approaches to Sixth street bridge across A. C. L. tracks. Plan may be seen at City Engineer's Office at City Hall.

LOUIS S. BELDEN, Chairman.

aug 31—6t.

Blue prints of all kinds are made by Southern Map Co., phone 813, So. Bldg.

Seed Rye

218 Bushels Seed Rye.
920 Bushels Texas R. P. Oats.
840 Bushels N. C. R. P. Oats.
318 Barrels Bunker Hill.
940 Bags 1-16 Bunker Hill.
864 Bags 1-8 Bunker Hill.
720 Bags 1-4 Bunker Hill.
286 Bags 1-2 Bunker Hill.
311 Kegs Large Mullet.
184 Kegs Small Mullet.
988 Rolls New Bagging.
463 Rolls Old Bagging.
940 Bundles New Ties.
521 Bundles Old Ties

W. B. COOPER
Wilmington, N. C.

For Rent

Store No. 217 N. Front Street.

Two stories and basement. Possession given October 1st. Alley in rear. Suitable for any kind of business. See me at once, if you are looking for place, and get full particulars.

H. F. WILDER or I. SHRIER

sept-1-tf

Uncle Sam Here!

Deposits made September 1st and 2nd in our Savings Department draw 4 per cent. compound interest from Sept. 1st.

LET UNCLE SAM PROTECT YOUR HOME.

American National Bank
Wilmington, N. C.

Our Smart Fall Clothes

WE OFFER a choice from a complete stock of the newest and smartest styles in Men's and Young Men's Clothes for Fall and Winterwear.

WE HAVE preferred these lines above all others because they most nearly express our ideas of the best that can be shown in really good clothes.

Every garment bears the Stein-Bloch label, and that means fine fabrics, good styles and long wear. Prices as you like them--Call and see.

J. W. FLEET CO.
Phone 673. S. W. Corner Front & Princess Sts.

Just Received

Another Shipment

Fruit Jars

Pints, Quarts, 2-Quarts.

JELLY TUMBLERS

also

Jar Rubbers and Jar Caps,

WIRE HAY TIES

Big Stock, all lengths. Send us your orders, We give you right prices and quick shipment

N. Jacobi Hardware Co.

AGENTS WANTED! FOR OUR R. R. Land Lime, made by the Rockland-Rockport Lime Co.

of Rockland, Maine.

We are distributing it via schooners through the South Atlantic Ports to the interior Southern points. Money in it for the user, as well as the dealer. Write us for prices, literature and samples.

Carolina Portland Cement Co.,
Charleston, S. C.

se-2-2t

Plastering Material

Higginson White Cement for Mortar.
Ivory Gypsum Cement Plaster.
Boone Gypsum Cement Plaster.
Monarch Hydrated Lime.
Carara and Acme Keene Finish.
Plaster Paris, Laths, etc.

Roger Moore's Sons & Co.

NOW IS THE TIME

To have the Electric Lights installed and repaired in that house you are going to rent this fall.

Don't fail to see us for fixtures, irons, in fact, anything in the Electric line.

BEYMER & HEINSBERGER
CONTRACTING ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS.
Phone 194. Garrell Building.